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M'LEAN VICTIM OF EFFORTS TO AID HIS FRIEND

Says He Related Story of Cash Loan at Request of Trusted Friend, Who Denied Worry Over Oil Deal

TOLD WALSH TRUTH

Learned of Doheny Loan Only After Testifying at Palm Beach —Never Did Anything Dishonest, Financially

Washington, Mar. 12. — Edward B. McLean, publisher of the Washington Post, told the oil committee today that he had been drawn unwittingly into the oil scandal through a well intentioned effort to aid his [illegible] friend Albert B. Fall.

He insisted that the true story of his $100,000 loan to the former secretary was that which he told Senator Walsh, Montana, at Palm Beach, in January; that he had given Fall checks for that amount in November, 1921, and that they had been returned to him uncashed.

His previous statement that the loan had been made in cash, he said, was made because Fall requested at a conference in Atlantic City last December that he make that explanation if it became necessary. He testified that Fall, ill and a broken man, had assured him that his worry and embarrassment had "nothing to do with Sinclair or Teapot Dome."

It was not until after he had testified in Palm Beach, McLean declared, that Fall told him he had obtained $100,000 from Edward L. Doheny on November 30, 1921.

Knows Neither Sinclair Nor Doheny.

Declaring he had had no other connection with the whole subject under investigation; did not know either Sinclair or Doheny; and had never owned stock in any of their oil companies, the publisher summed up his situation thus:

"I was trying to go down the line as far as I could for a friend. I have never done a dishonest thing in my life, financially. I never had anything to do with this darned Teapot Dome thing. That is really the truth. You can decode telegrams, you can look through them for the last year, and you can't find anything dishonest I have done."

This statement came near the end of more than two hours of questioning, during most of which time the publisher leaned across the table toward the committee with head half bowed and forearms resting on the little table before which he sat.

Although hailed as one of the important witnesses in the inquiry, McLean shed little additional light on the situation, and his testimony was anything but thrilling. Despite this, his every word was followed with tense interest by the crowd which jammed the committee room and overflowed into an ante chamber. Scores of the curious were unable to gain admittance.

Can't Aid Telegram Situation.

The publisher was direct in his answers and was not subjected to vigorous cross-examination. Time and again he told the committee he wanted to be frank with it and tell it all he knew. The only variation from his Palm Beach testimony was that he fixed the time of giving Fall the checks as the last week in November, 1921, instead of the last week of December of that year.

McLean followed to the stand several White House and Washington Post employes. He wore a dull colored tweed suit with a brown sweater underneath. His attorneys, Wilton J. Lambert and William Leahey, accompanied him into the committee room and remained seated near him throughout his stay on the stand and when the committee had finished its cross-examination, Mr. Lambert questioned his client briefly to emphasize certain points of his testimony.

McLean emphatically declared that he had had no connection with any slush fund, rumors of which have [illegible]. He [illegible] able to aid the committee materially in translating some of the still mysterious telegrams, explaining that he could not recall details as he had received and sent hundreds of them while at Palm Beach.

COMMITTEES WILL DISCUSS PENNSY LEASE OF N. & W.

Philadelphia, Mar. 12. — Reports that the Pennsylvania railroad contemplates leasing the Norfolk and Western railway took definite form today when the Norfolk and Western announced that it had received a communication from the Pennsylvania suggesting the advisability of such a step. A committee was authorized to confer with a similar committee of the Pennsylvania.

The Norfolk and Western directors [illegible] today at the conclusion of which it was announced that the annual report to the stockholders had been approved.

FIND PAPER DATED 1776.

[illegible], Mar. [illegible] — A newspaper dated Jan. [illegible] 1776, was dug out of [illegible] Alfred Hel[illegible] [illegible] the part of the house [illegible] yellow from age, the paper is [illegible] state of preservation [illegible] as legible as [illegible] only a few years old. It was [illegible] [illegible] The [illegible] newspaper.

PRESIDENT'S TAX CUT MOVE BEATEN

Robinson Says Request Comes Too Late, Calling It Move Toward Revenue Bill Veto

Washington, Mar. 12. — House Republicans leaders definitely turned down today the request of President Coolidge for a resolution making effective immediately the proposed 25 per cent reduction in income taxes payable this year.

Representative Longworth, Republican leader, late today told Mr. Coolidge the parliamentary situation would not permit action on such a resolution before Saturday when first installments on taxes must be paid.

At the same time, the revenue bill passed by the house and containing of provisions for the cut in 1923 taxes was assailed by Secretary Mellon before the senate finance committee. The treasury secretary insisted it would bring about a treasury deficit of at least $55,000,000 in the fiscal year 1925.

"Comes Too Late" Robinson.

Preceding the death of the resolution proposal, an attack on the President's request was made in the senate after a suggestion of Senator Reed, Republican, Pennsylvania, that action on the resolution be instituted there. Chairman Smoot replied that although the constitution specifies only that revenue raising measures must originate in the house, a resolution asking a reduction in revenue would undoubtedly be considered by the house as unconstitutional if action on it were first taken in the senate.

Senator Robinson, Democrat, Arkansas, led the attack on the proposal, declaring the President's message "come too late," and charging that the executive merely wanted a free hand to veto the revenue bill itself.

Mr. Longworth declared the proposal dead tonight after a conference with Republican leaders, including advocates of the proposal who had started on 11th hour move to put it in motion.

HYDRO-ELECTRIC MEASURE OPPOSED

Generating and Distribution Companies Unalterably Against Smith's Program

Albany, Mar. 12.—The Smith administration program for state development and control of hydro-electric resources today met with the unalterable opposition of several of the largest electric generating and distributing companies in New York state.

This opposition, fully expected, but publicly expressed for the first time since the introduction into the legislature of bills seeking to carry out this program, developed at a hearing today before the senate conservation and the assembly ways and means committees on the rival Republican and Democratic water power measures.

Favoring the bills, however, were representatives of the State Federation of Labor, railroad employe organizations, and the Men's and Women's City clubs of New York city. The chief proponent, acting also as administration spokesman, was George E. VanKenna, deputy attorney general, former conservation commissioner, and generally known as the water power expert among the state officials.

Contention that present statutes of the state were ample to take care of the water power situation forced the bulk of argument against enactment of water power bills while those favoring passage of the administration measure held the water power had originally belonged to the state, and that it should be returned to and remain under state control.

Legislative Activities

The senate in a four-hour session passed 46 bills and advanced the same number to the order of final passage.

The assembly passed the Steinberg bill designed to provide for filing of nominations by party committees, defeating by a party vote the Democratic direct primary measure; and disapproved the administration bill seeking popular initiative of constitutional amendments by voting down a motion to discharge the committee from consideration of the bill.

Speaker Machold predicted passage of the home rule bill in the assembly, but its delay for a time in the courts.

Majority Leader Walker in the senate and Speaker Machold agreed that the legislature adjourn by the first week in April, and promised to take steps to expedite business to bring this about.

The first public hearing given to the water power bill brought opposition from power developments and distributing companies.

Mayor Hylan of New York and a former public service commissioner [illegible] in verbal tilt during a hearing on home rule in transit bills, the mayor showing all his old time vigor during the discussion.

The assembly ways and means committee voted not to report out a bill seeking repeal of the motion picture censorship commission, but the measure still has a chance through [illegible] of the motion to discharge the committee.

N. Y. C. SILENT IN MEMORY OF LATE LEADER

Activity Throughout Entire System Ceases for Two Minutes — Funeral Services Broadcast by Radio

HARRIS NEW CHIEF

Has Had Wide Experience in Railroad and Financial World— Expected to Complete Idea of New Line to West

New York, Mar. 12.—Every activity of the New York Central railway system was stilled for two minutes just before 3 o'clock this afternoon when funeral services for the late Alfred H. Smith, president of the road, were conducted in St. Thomas Episcopal church in Fifth avenue in the presence of his friends and business associates.

In crepe draped Grand Central terminal, thousands stood in respectful silence as the old depot bell intoned for two minutes. In the grand ball room of a nearby hotel, 150 employes and minor officials of the railroad listened to the church services broadcast to them by radio.

Throughout the railway system, lights were dimmed, telegraph and telephone instruments hushed and trains stopped in respect for the memory of the former president who died as the result of a fall from his horse while riding in Central park Saturday afternoon.

Fifth Avenue Traffic Hushed.

Mr. Smith's body was brought to New York from the family home in Chappaqua at 2 o'clock in a special train, festooned with black and flying black flags. In the train also came Mr. Smith's widow, who had dashed across the continent from Los Angeles in a special train in the record time of 69 hours, and a number of other relatives and friends.

Traffic in Fifth avenue was halted as the funeral procession, preceded by a group of policemen on motorcycles, arrived at the church.

The eight active pall bearers were men intimately associated with Mr. Smith in his railroad work in the road's general offices here. Honorary pall bearers were from the officialdom of the system.

After the services, the funeral procession went to Woodlawn cemetery, where the interment took place.

A. H. Harris to Be New President.

New York, Mar. 12.—Albert Hall Harris, vice president in charge of corporate relations, within 10 days will be elected president of the New York Central lines to succeed A. H. Smith, who was buried today, the New York World will say tomorrow.

Mr. Harris has been designated, the newspaper will say, because of his specialty in railroad financing and therefore is better qualified to carry out the pending plan projected by Mr. Smith for extending another main line west, and taking over the Central Railroad of New Jersey and part of the Philadelphia and Reading.

Mr. Harris was born in Rochester, 62 years ago, became a lawyer, and in the early '90s entered the service of the New York Central. He has wide railroad and bank interests and lives here.

Has Held High Positions.

Mr. Harris is vice president of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad company, the parent corporation, and has been vice president of the Michigan Central, Big Four, Pittsburgh and Lake Erie, Toledo and Ohio Central, the Kenawah and Michigan, the Great Northern, the Peoria and Eastern and subsidaries of the New York Central.

His financial connections include a directorship of the Guarantee Trust company and he also is a director of the Reading company, the Imports Development company, and is a trustee of the University of Rochester, from which he was graduated.

SARATOGA SPRINGS PAYS D. & H. FOR SEIZED COAL

Saratoga Springs, Mar. 12. — The claim of the D. & H. Railroad company against the city of Saratoga Springs and its municipal officials for $1,077.71 covering the alleged cost of the two cars of coal seized during the coal shortage here last year has been settled. Sheridan P. Wait, city attorney, announced the city had turned over to the D. & H. company the funds deposited in the Adirondack Trust company last year.

These funds were collected by members of the public safety department last winter from persons to whom the seized coal was delivered. The claim of the D. & H. company coincided exactly with the funds, plus interest, on deposit in the bank.

PENNSY GRANTS INCREASES TO ENGINEMEN AND HOSTLERS

Philadelphia, Mar. 12.—An agreement covering new rates of pay, amounting in the aggregate to an increase of five per cent over the present scale of engineers, firemen, hostlers, and hostlers helpers, was announced by the Pennsylvania railroad company today.

Specific increase over the present basic daily rates are: passenger service, 21 cents a day; freight, 26 cents, yard, 22 cents; and hostlers and hostlers' helpers, 12 cents. The new rates date from January 16, 1924, and affect 22,000 employes.

CONDUCTOR MEETS DEATH; IS CRUSHED IN CABOOSE

Hopewell Junction, Mar. 12.—Caught in a caboose between a pusher and the Maybrook local in the railroad yards here, John Bolger of East Hartford, Conn., one of the oldest conductors on the Central New England railroad, was instantly killed today. Bolger was conductor in charge of the east-bound freight which was picking up cars here. The pusher and caboose were switched onto the wrong track and collided with the rapidly moving local. Sensing the danger, Bolger tried to jump from the caboose but was caught on the steps. Coroner Johnson of Fishkill ordered an inquest into the wreck early next week.

ENDOWMENT OF 20 YEARS PROVIDED BY BONUS BILL

Based on $1 a Day for Home Service and $1.25 for Overseas Duty

COMPOUND INTEREST ADDED

$1,900 Maximum Possible—After Two Years, Veteran May Borrow on Policy

Washington, Mar. 12. — Terms of the new soldier bonus bill, providing paid-up life insurance policies, were agreed upon today by a sub-committee of the house ways and means committee and will be taken before that body tomorrow for decision.

Chairman Green announced he would attempt to have the measure acted upon next Monday by the house under suspension of the rules which would limit debate, prevent amendments, and permit a vote in one day.

The insurance policies, it was decided would be 20-year endowment and valued on the basis of length of service of each veteran, with $1 allowed for each of day of home service and $1.25 for each day of overseas service, but with the first 60 days excluded. To this total would be added 25 per cent, and the face value of the policy then would be determined by computing the total amount of adjusted service credit plus the 20 years of compounded four per cent interest.

May Borrow 90 per cent of Cash Value

In figuring the adjusted service credit, maximums of $500 would be allowed for home service and $625 for overseas service. It was estimated that the maximum face value of any certificate would be about $1,400 for a veteran who had served full time at home or $1,900 for one who served the full time overseas.

Under previous agreement all veterans up to the rank of captain in the army and marine corps and lieutenant senior grade in the navy would be eligible to the policies. It also was decided to include the dependents of all veterans who have died since the close of the war. Cash payments would be made to all veterans not entitled to more than $50.

The policies would be effective next January 1 and after two years, loans could be asked at state and national banks on 90 per cent of the cash value of the policy at the time.

TELLS TALE OF BIZARRE WAGER

Divorcee Says She and Companion Tossed Coin to See Who Would Get First Shot

Chicago, Mar. 12. — A bizarre wager, by which the toss of a coin was to determine which of two persons would have first shot at the other, was described to a coroner's jury today by Mrs. Bell Gaerthner, divorcee, and resulted in a recommendation that she be held for murder in connection with the death of Walter R. Law, automobile salesman.

Law was found today slumped over the wheel of Mrs. Gaertner's automobile with a bullet through his head. Two blocks away the police found Mrs. Gaertner pacing the floor of her apartment and sobbing hysterically.

The jury decided that Law, married, and father of a baby, was killed by a bullet fired by Mrs. Gaertner.

Admits Being Intoxicated.

According to her story, Law and she had been to a cabaret and on the way home argued about their marksmanship. Mrs. Gaertner said she had a pistol and they agreed to toss a coin, the winner to have one shot at the other. If this missed, the loser then was to take one shot, the process to be continued until a hit was scored.

Mrs. Gaertner admitted she was intoxicated and said she did not remember what happened after this. She declared she saw blood on Law's face and fled to her home in terror. She said that someone else may have shot him. Mrs. Gaertner was badly scratched and bruised and her gloves were bloodstained, but she was unable to explain how she was injured. Her pistol, with one chamber exploded, was found on the floor of her automobile.

Mrs. Gaertner was formerly a cabaret singer and had been twice divorced from William Gaertner, wealthy manufacturer. Gaertner told the police today that he was arranging to marry the woman for the third time.

FREIGHTER AND 25 OF ITS CREW THOUGHT LOST

Santiago Lashed by 80-Mile-an Hour Gale—Storm Does Enormous Property Damage Along Atlantic Coast

ELEVEN MEN SAVED

Only One Lifeboat Found—Eight Lives Lost in New York City Alone — New England Severely Affected

New York, Mar. 12. — The captain of the freighter Santiago and 24 of his men are believed tonight to have been lost with their vessel in the snow-freighted hurricane which last night swept the Atlantic coast, taking eight lives in New York city alone.

After raging at 80 miles an hour along the eastern seaboard from Cape Hatteras, where the Santiago went down, to Eastport, Me., the gale appeared tonight to have spent its fury. Its path on land and sea was marked by scores of disabled craft, enormous property damage and a long list of dead and injured.

Transportation, power distributing systems, and lines of communications were most seriously crippled. The storm inflicted upon Brooklyn a complete tie up of her rapid transit lines, stranding hundreds of thousands of commuters upon the island this morning.

Eleven Saved; 25 Missing.

Eleven men were reported rescued and 25 were missing from the Ward liner Santiago, news of whose sinking 60 miles south of Cape Hatteras was carried in a radio message intercepted by the Charleston, S. C., navy squad station.

The message was received as follows:

"Picked up lifeboat containing six sailors, four firemen, one carpenter, from the steamer Santiago, which sunk 60 miles south of Hatteras. No other lifeboats seen. Proceeding Baltimore."

It was signed "Captain."

New England Hit Hard.

Boston, Mar. 12. — Disrupted telephone and telegraph communications, crippled railroad service and isolated towns along the seaboard told today's story of the storm which swept over New England last night and today. As night approached the wind abated but the snow continued to fall and lower, possibly freezing, temperature was predicted for tonight.

Capitol District Feels Effects.

Albany, Mar. 12. — Effects of one of the worst storms which struck the Atlantic coast in years were felt here last night and early this morning, when the wind, accompanying the storm in the Southern states, of tremendous velocity, reached this section of the country early last evening. It continued up to noon today when its velocity was registered at 20 miles an hour. The maximum velocity was reached about 9:30 o'clock last night and lasted until about 10:15 o'clock, when the wind was blowing at the rate of 36 miles an hour, as recorded at the local weather bureau, which is downtown in the federal building, where the wind is obstructed by surrounding structures. In the outlying sections of the city, however, it blew with hurricane force.

KENYON OFFERED POSITION AS SUCCESSOR TO DENBY

Washington, Mar. 12. — William F. Kenyon, former senator from Iowa, and now a federal circuit judge, has been offered the naval portfolio by President Coolidge. He will give his answer to the President probably tomorrow.

Considered first by the President for the post of attorney general in event the retirement of Harry M. Daugherty, Judge Kenyon was asked to come to Washington and, arriving last night, went direct to the White House. During a two-hour conference with Mr. Coolidge, he was tendered the navy appointment and is understood to have asked that he be given until tomorrow to think it over and consult with some of his closest friends.

MAN, 100, WALKS NINE MILES TO COURTHOUSE

London, Mar. 12. — The dangerous age in the case of Owen Connelly of Lawney County Sligo, Ireland, seems to be an even hundred years. Connelly, hale and vigorous, walked nine miles to the courthouse recently to answer a charge of having "used threatening language and abused" one Patrick Brady.

"He jumped over a fence and threatened me with a black-thorn," declared Brady. The magistrate dismissed the case.

RAIL OWNERS CONTROL FATE.

Chicago, Mar. 12. — The fate of the American railways lies in the hands of their owners and the future of transportation will depend largely upon the "capacity, justice, and statesmanship of those who administer the properties, Sir Henry Thornton, chairman of the Canadian National Railway system, declared tonight, addressing the 25th annual banquet of the American Railway Engineering association.

More than 700 American rail chiefs were guests.

MYSTERY OF TRIPLE MURDER NOT SOLVED

Finding of Oil Can, However, Links Case With Attempt to Burn Another Home

Batavia, Mar. 12. — An inquest held here today failed to dissipate the mystery surrounding the slaying in Linden last night of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Whalley and Mrs. Mabel Morse. Developments tended to indicate a connection with similar crimes in the village of Linden, authorities said, but no leads had been uncovered to show the identity of the slayer.

The inquiry showed Mrs. Whalley to have been shot through the neck, the bullet striking the spinal cord, Mr. Whalley to have died from an undetermined number of gunshot wounds, and Mrs. Morse to have been beaten to death. All the bodies were badly charred.

A can containing kerosene, found at the Whalley home, but not the property of the Whalleys, was said by authorities to furnished a connecting link between last night's murder and an attempt in September, 1923, to burn the home of Maurice Neilan, justice of the peace, in Linden. A similar can was found at the Neilan home at that time. The authorities also believe that last night's crime and the murder of Miss Francis L. Kimball in 1922 were the work of the same person, presumably a maniac. Miss Kimball was beaten to death.

Message Intimated Murder of Mother.

Buffalo, Mar. 12. — A mysterious telephone call intimating that his mother, Mrs. Mabel Morse of Linden had been murdered, was received by Howard G. Morse at his Elmwood avenue home in this city last night, neighbors said today.

"You will never see your mother again," a voice said, and the connection was immediately cut.

Morse and his wife left immediately for Batavia where the bodies of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Whalley and Mrs. Morse, were taken.

SAYS FOREIGNERS BRING IN LIQUOR

Hayward Seized Orduna and Eight of Crew—Sailors Laugh at Dry Law, He States

New York, Mar. 12.—Upholding the seizure today of the British liner Orduna by the government following a raid in which liquor and narcotics worth $10,000 were seized, United States District Attorney William Hayward tonight charged that virtually every foreign ship entering New York harbor allows traffic in liquor, and narcotics.

"On every ship they sneer and jeer at the United States and openly defy our government with arrogance," said Colonel Hayward, who personally led the raid which resulted in the issuance of an order in Washington by Secretary Mellon for the seizure of the Orduna. Eight members of the Orduna's crew were arrested in the raid.

Colonel Hayward said libel proceedings against the Orduna would be started as soon as possible. He said a bond of not less than $3,000,000 would be demanded. This is said to be the value of the vessel. The eight prisoners were held in bail of $10,000 each when arraigned before the United States commissioner.

WANTS MOVIE CENSORSHIP.

Albany, Mar. 12.—Repeal of the motion picture censorship law, as recommended by the Democratic state administration, was frowned upon by the assembly ways and means committee today, when it voted, 11 to 4, not to report out a bill introduced by Assemblyman Frederick L. Hackenburg, New York, Democrat, designed to abolish the motion picture censorship commission.

The Day in Washington

The senate ordered an inquiry into the administration of the bureau of internal revenue.

Former Senator W. S. Kenyon, Iowa, it was disclosed, is under consideration for the secretary of the navy.

House leaders refused to bring up the resolution providing for a 25 per cent cut in taxes this year.

The senate Daugherty investigating committee opened its hearings with Roxie Stinson of Columbus, O., as the first witness.

The house ways and means subcommittee made public its plans for insurance policies as a feature of the bonus bill.

The suspension of section 28 of the merchant marine act was lifted by the Interstate Commerce commission, effective May 20.

Secretary Mellon told the senate finance committee that the revenue bill passed by the house must be revised to prevent a treasury deficit.

Congressional investigation of bribery rumors affecting members of congress was ordered by the house, with Representative Burton, Republican, Ohio, as head of the investigating committee.

Edward B. McLean told the oil committee his assertion that he had loaned Albert B. Fall $100,000 in cash was made at Fall's request, adding that he had no interest in the Sinclair and Doheny oil companies and denied any knowledge of the Fall oil policies except what he had read in the newspapers.

INVESTIGATION OF DAUGHERTY STARTS LIVELY

Amazing Tale, Replete With Insinuations, Inferences, Charges Told Special Senate Committee

COVERS WIDE RANGE

Tales of White Motor Stock Gifts and Carpentier-Dempsey Prize Fight Film Related by Divorcee

Washington, Mar. 12. — With an amazing tale, replete with insinuations, inferences, and charges, the senate committee investigation of Attorney General Daugherty got under way today with a cyclonic start.

Roxie Stinson of Columbus, O., divorced wife of Jesse W. Smith of Washington Court house, "bumper and friend," and confidant of the attorney general, who committed suicide in the latter's apartment here a year ago, was the first and only witness.

From behind the crumbled fold of a tear soaked handkerchief she sobbed and murmured a sensational story that ranged from stock transactions to motion pictures of the Carpentier-Dempsey fight, all of which she insisted were connected with profits for her late husband and the attorney general.

In all the accounts of his doings in Washington which Smith confided to her, the divorced wife contended against all cross-examination that when Smith said "we" he meant himself and Daugherty and that when she said "they" she meant the same two men.

Obtain Motor Stock Without Cost.

Specifically, Miss Stinson testified that Smith had given her 25 shares of White Motor stock, which was a part of what "they" had obtained without any cost; that Smith told her "we" looked forward to profits approximating $180,000 if it could be arranged to exhibit the motion pictures of the Carpentier-Dempsey [illegible] Smith had come into [illegible] pany at Ohio; and that [illegible] printer of a small town [illegible] approximately $[illegible] when he came to Washington in 1921, and increased his fortune to approximately $250,000.

All this Miss Stinson said, was done by "we" and "they" and she [illegible] that the second man of the combination always was Attorney General Daugherty because, she declared, that in all their confidences Smith never meant anybody else, and that furthermore, when he did, he mentioned the specifically by name.

Story Barrage of Questioning.

Having gone two nights without sleep, Miss Stinson said she had exacted a promise from Senator Wheeler, Democrat, Montana, the committee's prosecutor, to keep her on the stand only an hour today. She will return and finish her story, if possible tomorrow. She was just getting down to questioning about a "mysterious greenhouse on K street," when the committee relieved her of further testimony today.

But in the short time she occupied the witness chair, the events of the session resembled a carload of ammunition going off. Senator Wheeler had a row with Paul Howland, Mr. Daugherty's chief counsel; sparks flew from both sides of the table and Senator Wheeler launched into a machine gun fusillade of questioning in which the questions and answers flew so fast and covered so wide a territory that a room full of veteran newspaper correspondents, hardened to the rattle and fire of congressional investigation, simply couldn't keep up with the proceedings.

Smith told her, Miss Stinson said, of many transactions in which Mr. Daugherty joined, although she said Mr. Daugherty's name was not mentioned specifically.

RADIO CALLS MAN ACROSS U. S. TO MOTHER'S DEATHBED

Winsted, Conn., Mar. 12. — Called home from California by a radio message informing him that his mother was seriously ill, Frederick Parsons of Maybrook, N. Y., conductor on the Central New England railroad, arrived at the bedside of his mother just before her death.

Mr. and Mrs. Parsons were touring the west and as their exact whereabouts was unknown, news of his mother's illness was broadcast in the western states.

Parsons heard the message in California, and with his wife started at once for the east.

FIRES EXTINGUISHED; MEN RESUME LOOKING FOR DEAD

Castle Gate, Utah, Mar. 12.—Small fires which hampered rescue crews in mine No. 2 of the Utah Fuel company today have been extinguished and the task of searching for bodies of the entombed miners has been resumed.

The body of the [illegible] was recovered this afternoon, [illegible] to be recovered [illegible].

Funeral services for [illegible] miners who [illegible] today. [illegible] of funerals only [illegible] held at the [illegible] public [illegible] for [illegible].

The Old Master

By Fog Murray

The Hot Stove league, before adjourning till next winter, took a trip through the Metropolitan Museum of Baseball Art to give the portrait of Joe McGinnity the once-over. Joe had hung there in former years, but recently the giant frame had been repaying in Dubuque, Iowa. Now with McGraw's dignity the "Iron Man" to coach his pitchers, the Old Master returns to New York where he first won fame back in 1900 with the Giants. McGinnity shut out the Athletics in the world series of 1905 when "Matty" was in his prime.

Joe started playing professional ball in 1892 and has pitched every year since! The records of Eddie Plank and Cy Young can't compare to this. He piloted the Dubuque team to the pennant in the Mississippi Valley league in 1923, pitching 23 games himself and winning 15 of them.

Joe can boast of as many years as Babe Ruth's home runs in 1920, and if Ruth is still knocking them out of the lot in 1943, when he will be 54, he'll have earned the right to be called an "Iron Man," too.

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DEMPSEY TO FIGHT FIRPO

Ringside Meeting Will Defend Title in New York on Labor Day.

Chicago, Mar. 12. — Jack Dempsey, world's heavyweight champion, will defend his title against Luis Angel Firpo in New York Labor day, he announced here last night. The Argentine will be his only opponent this year, the champion said.

Decision to fight Firpo was reached at a conference with Jack Kearns, his manager, before he left New York, Dempsey said. The public wants him, anyhow, he asserted.

"If Firpo is beaten by Wills or anybody, then naturally I would be expected to fight the winner," the champion asserted. "However, I understand Firpo will not engage in any other bout so meet me. Under such circumstances it looks like a quiet outdoor season for me, but my picture work and about six weeks of hard training should leave me fit for the ring here."

Dempsey looked a bit pale and thin after his recent vacation at New York. He plans to leave at once for Salt Lake City to visit his parents before going on to the coast, where he will engage in motion picture work three months.

Cadillac Vanquish Huppe.

The Cadillac took two out of three games from the Huppe in a tournament match rolled on the Y. M. C. A. alleys last evening. Lawson had high game of 222 and Hesse high total for three games, 545.

The scores follow:

Cadillac—				
Drisco	165	174	181	520
Miller, R.	137	162	148	437
Hulbert	128	158	128	414
Fairlie	147	197	145	489
Lawson	126	172	222	520
Totals	713	843	824	2391
Huppe—				
Ellis	128	176	210	514
Wells	184	131	114	379
Dannenhke	149	117	145	411
Crockett	178	142	175	495
Hesse	189	177	179	545
Totals	778	743	823	2344

FORMER PRIMA DONNA DIES OF HEART ATTACK, ALONE

New York, Mar. 12. — The body of Mme. Eugenie Bonner, once known in this country as a prima donna, was found in a two-room East Side tenement Tuesday. Physicians said she had died of a heart ailment.

Neighbors asserted that she had lived for years in poor circumstances along with her pet cats, six of which were on her bed when the body was discovered.

Mme. Bonner came to the United States 25 years ago at the invitation of the late Oscar Hammerstein to sing in grand opera. She has previously appeared in Amsterdam, Prague and Bremen. Newspaper clippings and a letter of introduction to Gatna Walska were found in the room.

HOW TO STOP BABE RUTH.

Intelligent Pitching Will Turn the Trick, Says Sisler.

St. Louis, Mar. 12. — Intelligent pitching would prevent Babe Ruth from slamming out so many homers, a dispatch from the St. Louis American's training camp at Mobile, Ala., quotes Manager George Sisler as saying.

"I do not mean that Ruth is not dangerous," Sisler said. "But if pitched to intelligently his home run total will not approach his record.

"Eddie Cicotte never gave Ruth an intentional base on balls, yet Ruth never hit Cicotte for a home run. He hit only one off Hubert Pruett and that was on a fast ball the only one Pruett ever pitched to Ruth."

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Pursuant to an order of Sheldon H. Clum, surrogate of the county of Otsego, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against the estate of James H. Zeh, deceased, late of the city of Oneonta, in said county, that they are required to exhibit the same, with vouchers thereof, to the undersigned executrix of the estate of the said deceased, at the law offices of George L. Gibbs, in the city of Oneonta, in said county, on or before the 15th day of April, next.

Dated, October 2, 1923.

Annette Zeh, Executrix.

George L. Gibbs, Attorney for Executrix, Oneonta, N. Y.

Hunt's Washington Letter

By Harry B. Hunt.
(NEA Service Staff Writer.)

Washington, Mar. 12. — The "social bloc" is busy again. This time it is not either an "outsider," whom it can be-dazzle with a view of the riches that can be enjoyed in Washington by one who is "in right," but one whom it feels should, because of his very wealth and influence, naturally fall within its charmed circle. Said individual being no less a person than James Couzens of Michigan, who probably possesses more millions than any other man in the United States senate.

Couzens, however, is understood to recognize the not that is being spread to tame, through social entanglements' sense of his "irregular" views on the subjects of taxation, public ownership and similar issues close to the hearts of those who are socially mighty here.

Being a human individual and a gentleman, Couzens at first accepted graciously, though by no means enthusiastically, the invitations to dinners, receptions and affairs that recently began pouring in on him. But so heavy has become the social barrage, particularly since his set-to with Secretary Mellon over the administration tax reduction program, that Senator Jim is understood to be almost ready to put on the brakes. He recognizes the game that is being played and is ready to pull out.

But that he dares the bloc one more time. He just doesn't want to raise its hackles unfortunately. For some time [illegible]

[illegible] W. Gilbert, who wrote "The [illegible] of Washington," has been [illegible] all the looking glasses [illegible] especially to see if [illegible] a glimpse of an idea [illegible] in vogue.

[illegible] candidates in the [illegible] hands, who don't [illegible] up for the [illegible] should be face [illegible] Hughes [illegible] the [illegible] thus tersely:

"I could count up the ideal candidates for president this year on the fingers of a man who had both arms shot away in the late war."

Senator Robert L. Owen of Oklahoma might justly claim a purer Americanism than any other member of the senate. He is the one senator boasting a strain of Indian blood, being descended, through his mother, from the Cherokee tribe.

Despite his 68 years, Owen is one of the younger members of the senate, in appearance. Straight as an arrow, erect, with the stolidly handsome face of an Indian brave, Owen is one of the striking figures in congress.

Although he has served Oklahoma in the senate ever since she gained statehood, Owen announces he will not fight for re-election this year. He expects to settle down in Muskogee after March 4, next, tend a home garden and devote his time to urging adoption of a simplified method of amending the constitution. And he defies anyone to prove him "un-American" because he thinks it should be amended.

The most dangerous fighter in the United States senate, from a psychoanalytical standpoint, is Wheeler of Montana, the young member who forced through the resolution for an investigation of Attorney General Daugherty.

When Wheeler gets into a scrap—and he's already headed into a number of battles, although this is his first time in congress—he doesn't get peevish. He doesn't get dramatic. He doesn't pound his desk and wave his arms and rant.

Instead, he grins. And his smile is like a barb in the side of his opponent, stinging him, goading him, baiting him to rash retort.

If the psychologist is right in saying, "Look out for the man who smiles when he fights," his opponents had better look out for Wheeler.

CHESTNUT STREET GIRLS WIN

Take Inter-School Basketball Series by Breaking Even With Academy Street Girls Yesterday.

The Chestnut street girls won the inter-school basketball championship when the eighth grade team defeated the Academy street eighth grade girls, 16 to 6, in the High school gymnasium yesterday afternoon. In the seventh grade game Academy street was victorious, 14 to 8, winning the first game of the series for their school. The Chestnut street eighth grade has won three straight games from the Academy street eighth grade while the Chestnut street seventh grade has made it two out of three.

The games yesterday were fast and interesting, especially the seventh grade contest, won by Academy street in the last half due to the spectacular work of Garrison.

The scores follow:

Chestnut Street 8th Grade Girls—

	FB	FP	TP
Balmer, rf	7	0	14
D. Price, lf	2	0	4
Otto, jc	0	0	0
G. Price, sc	0	0	0
Beardsley, sc	0	0	0
Kilpatrick, rg	0	0	0
Young, lg	0	0	0
Totals	9	0	18

Academy Street 8th Grade Girls—

	FB	FP	TP
C. Hathaway, rf	0	0	0
Horne, lf	0	0	0
Boland, jc	0	0	0
Gassler, sc	0	0	0
Ormiston, sc	0	0	0
DeFiore, rg	0	0	0
Goddard, rg	0	0	0
Bartussi, lg	0	0	0
L. Hathaway, lg	0	0	0
Totals	0	0	0

Referee, G. Byard. Timer and scorer, Miss Goodwin.

Chestnut Street 7th Grade Girls

	FB	FP	TP
Ditmore, rf	1	0	2
Sargeant, lf	3	0	6
Charleston, jc	0	0	0
Truesdale, sc	0	0	0
Gallucci, sc	0	0	0
Conte, rg, lg	0	0	0
Byam, rg	0	0	0
Blake, lg	0	0	0
Totals	4	0	8

Academy Street 8th Grade Girls

	FB	FP	TP
Harter, rf	0	0	0
Garrison, lf	7	0	14
VanZandt, jc	0	0	0
Estes, sc	0	0	0
Dommermuth, sc	0	0	0
Delaney, rg	0	0	0
Byard, lg	0	0	0
Totals	7	0	14

Referee, F. Byard. Timer and scorer, C. Byard.

TWO INDIAN CHIEFTAINS, 85 AND 75 YEARS OLD, JAILED

Montreal, Mar. 12. — Two chiefs of the Mohawk tribe, Rose Kentaratiron, 85, and American Horse, 75, who live on the Caughnawaga Indian reserve, were sentenced to two months' imprisonment Tuesday after they had been adjudged guilty of stealing the famous Iroquois wampum belt from the parish priest of Caughnawaga.

The belt, valued at more than [illegible] as an historic relic, was produced in court as sentence was about to be passed. Counsel for the two chiefs explained that it had been returned to Father LaCouture, the priest, whom the court upheld as its rightful custodian.

The chiefs borrowed the belt from the priest last fall, telling him they wanted to have its mystic signs read. They did not return it and were found guilty of theft.

PRESENT HOME RULE BILLS INDICATE BIG LEGAL BATTLE

Albany, Mar. 12. — Enactment into law of the home rule for cities enabling bills now before the legislature will be the signal for an immediate fight in the courts to determine the constitutionality of the legislation, representatives of the State Bar association warned members of the cities committees of both houses and the home rule commission of the state at a hearing held on the bills here yesterday.

Strong opposition to the measures which have been introduced in the legislature, designed to put into effect provisions of the home rule amendment adopted last fall, developed from this source.

Virtually unanimous support of the bills came from the cities of the state.

Intercollegiate Basketball.

At Princeton—Princeton 46; Dartmouth 24.

Head Coach

Lawson Robertson, track coach at University of Pennsylvania, has been named head coach of the American Olympic Track and Field Team. Photo taken in Philadelphia after announcement was made.

ARMY OFFICERS' MUTINY CONTINUES

President Cosgrave Tells Dail Eireann He Has Taken Steps to Quell It

(By the Associated Press)

Dublin, Mar. 12.—The mutinous activity in the army continued Tuesday, the absorbing topic of interest in Dublin. President Cosgrave in the Dail Eireann announced that the letter of General Tobin and Colonel Dalton, written on behalf of the executive council of the Irish Republican army, demanding a discussion with the government on the Anglo-Irish treaty provisions, was a challenge the government could not ignore and that the government has taken the necessary steps to deal with the situation.

General Tobin in explaining his action in forwarding the letter told the newspapermen Tuesday that the trouble in the army was not of recent date, nor was it connected with the recent forced demobilization of numerous officers. Shortly after the death of Michael Collins, General Tobin said those who accepted the treaty position and the interpretation of the Irish people of the treaty became alarmed at the manner in which the national situation was allowed to drift.

Former British officers, he said, were placed in high positions, while those who had made the Free State government possible were forced out or put in minor positions. Guarantees repeatedly were promised, but the promises always were broken.

Farmers in Fatal Duel Over Load of Hay Debt

W. H. Newton, forty, a farmer, is dead and H. W. Higgs, forty-five, his neighbor, is being held on a charge of murder as the result of an alleged pistol duel between the two men near Gilmore, ten miles north of Marion, Ind.

The shooting was said to have been the culmination of a quarrel in Gilmore earlier in the day over a debt for a load of hay, which Higgs purchased some time ago.

House 200 Years Old Burns Near New London

The historic Jonathan Barber house, near New London, Conn., was burned to the ground with many articles of historical value.

Complete destruction resulted from delay by the Groton firemen in getting official authority to leave the fire district. The firemen arrived in time to save other nearby houses which took fire. The house was more than 200 years old.

Walks 75 Miles for Aid

When his finger was shot off while he was hunting, John Thibault of Beauval, Canada, walked 75 miles to the home of a doctor. Blood poisoning was averted by the man's bravery, the doctor later said.

Win Long Grind

Mount Bacon and Minnie Brown, veteran bike riders, won the recent Madison Square Garden (New York City) six-day race, and are shown receiving medals of the award afterward.

GOLF
AS CHAMPIONS PLAY IT

Is it a good practice to stab putts when greens are slow and rough?

Answered by
WM. MELBURN

"The St. Louis Youngster" whose battering courage and sound golf enable him to finish well up in all the tournaments he enters.

* * *

To stab putts is bad practice on any kind of a green, especially on slow or rough greens. A putt hit with an overspin is always easier to control. On a rough green the putt with an overspin will keep its line better, tending to roll right over the bumps and keep a straight course, while a stab putt is hit with more of a cut and every bump it hits might make it kick further off the line. Try a more pendulum swing, hitting up at the ball.

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MODERATELY MIRTHFUL

Impecunious Poet—"I was visited by burglars last night."

Ditto Artist—"What happened?"

Poet—"They searched the room and then gave me $2."—[Boston Transcript.

"We wanted to play bridge last night, but there were only three of us."

"Couldn't you have used a dummy?"

"Yes, I called, but they said you were out."—[Moonshine.

"My daughter runs up tremendous bills with her dressmaking."

"Well, why do you let her order so many dresses?"

"If I don't she'll come out in knickerbockers." — [Louisville Courier-Journal.

"Do you know, old man, I don't spend as much money now as before I was married?"

"How's that? Can two live cheaper than one?"

"Well, I don't have it to spend." — [Philadelphia Bulletin.

"Are you a messenger boy?" asked the near-sighted man of a boy in the street.

"No, sir," was the indignant reply. "It's my sore toe that makes me walk so slowly."—[Tit-Bits.

Tourist—"Looks as if you are going to have a fine fruit crop."

Farmer—"Too early to say. It's only been ruined three times so far this season."—Life.

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Dated, October 8th, 1923.

Hattie E. Huntington, Administrix.

Frank C. Huntington, Attorney for Executrix, Oneonta, N. Y.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Pursuant to an order of Sheldon H. Clum, surrogate of the county of Otsego, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against the estate of John Miller, deceased, late of the city of Oneonta, in said county, that they are required to exhibit the same, with vouchers thereof, to the undersigned administrix of the estate of the said deceased, at the law office of Otsego L. Gibbs, in the city of Oneonta, in said county, on or before the 20th day of August, next.

Dated February 5, 1924.

Eula Miller, Administrix.

George L. Gibbs, Attorney for Administrix, Oneonta, New York.

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Otsego County News

FUNERAL IN UNADILLA.

Service of Mrs. Marian May to be Held This Afternoon.

Unadilla, Mar. 12. — The funeral of Mrs. Marian May, who died at Cooperstown Tuesday, March 11, will be held in the Joyce funeral parlors Thursday at 1 p. m. Mrs. May is survived by one son, Thomas May, of Rogers Hollow.

Dr. Godshall Lectures Tonight.

An enjoyable treat is expected from the lecture, "The Illuminated Face," to be given by Dr. M. S. Godshall of Oneonta, in the Methodist Episcopal church Thursday evening, March 14, at 7:45.

To Hospital for Treatment.

Rev. G. M. Case took Lena Chamberlain to the Fox hospital Tuesday. She has been nearly helpless from infantile paralysis since September, and though well cared for at home, her friends in Unadilla hoped hospital treatment would be beneficial. The arrangements were made by the Red Cross society, who hope that this deserving young girl will be greatly benefitted.

Lenten Service Tonight.

Rev. Oscar Meyer, Episcopal missionary of Chenango county, will be the Lenten preacher Thursday evening, March 13. Mr. Meyer has been in Unadilla before and his former hearers will be glad to welcome him here again.

Mr. Scrum Surprised.

Thirty-two members of the Baptist church and congregation, with a quantity of good eats, made a surprise visit Monday evening, to Omar Scrum. He has been confined to the house by illness for some time and this cheer-up party was a good tonic.

Shamrock Supper.

The ladies of the Baptist church expect to serve a Shamrock supper in their church dining room Tuesday, March 18, at 6 o'clock, for 50 cents. One can eat Irish stew, Killarney salad, good luck loaf, and several other good things, tinted with appropriate shades. Decorations suitable to St. Patrick's day.

At Parshall Hospital.

M. S. Cone took John Dibble to the Parshall hospital in Oneonta Monday. Mr. Dibble was struck by an automobile one evening nearly four months ago and one leg was broken. It has not seemed to knit as expected, and an operation was deemed necessary. This was performed Tuesday. Mr. Dibble was on the operating table from 10 a. m. until 1 p. m., and complete recovery from anaesthetics was consequently slow.

With Bainbridge Friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Houck visited friends in Bainbridge Sunday, at the home of their son's family, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Houck, also with her sister, Mrs. Hiram Vanderhule.

A Sunday Guest.

D. C. Shartz of Skaneateles was a Sunday guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Clark.

Preached in Otego.

Rev. J. Graydon Brown preached in the Otego Presbyterian church Sunday and administered the sacrament of the Lord's Supper.

Misses Unadilla.

The blizzard which visited nearby towns missed Unadilla to a great extent. There was quite high winds, but little snow fell, so the roads were not made worse.

In Norwich Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Briggs were in Norwich Saturday to see the basketball game between Norwich High school and Delhi. Their son, Walter O'Connor, plays with Delhi, and they were of course pleased to see Delhi win.

MILFORD CENTER PARTY

Friends of Preston Wilber Join in Celebrating Birthday.

Milford Center, Mar. 12. — Preston Wilber gave a delightful party last Thursday evening at his home here to a number of his friends from Colliers, Portlandville and Milford Center, the occasion being his 18th birthday. A splendid dinner was served and the young people spent the remainder of the evening in dancing, cards and other games.

Breaks Nose by Fall.

R. D. Brooks, while rising from a chair in which he had been sitting, had the misfortune to fall to the floor breaking his nose and otherwise bruising his face. Though Mr. Brooks is in advanced years, he is recovering nicely from the unfortunate accident.

Personals.

Leslie Arnold has been suffering for several days from a severe attack of croup. — Mrs. Eugene Morse, who is a patient sufferer from other afflictions, recently suffered what was at first thought to be a slight shock. She is recovering slowly under the treatment of Dr. Allen. — H. J. Ferguson is recovering from the effects of an ulcerated tooth. — There is little change to report in the condition of Mrs. W. W. Ward. — Mrs. W. G. Wright is spending some time in Oneonta assisting in the care of Mrs. William Wright who is seriously ill at her home there. — Mr. and Mrs. Porter Backus spent Sunday visiting relatives at Toddsville.—Mrs. C. S. Morris spent a few days last week in Cooperstown visiting her sister, Mrs. Homer Hunter and mother, Mrs. Sarah Clark. — A. J. Preston was a business caller in Oneonta, Saturday. — Mrs. Earl Simmons of Davenport Center is a visitor at Fred Banner's. — Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Pratt of Westville were Tuesday guests at the home of their daughter, Mrs. [illegible] — Mr. and Mrs. Frank Finch of Toddsville are spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. Porter Backus. Mrs. Fayette Delong and daughter, Phyllis, of Portlandville, spent Saturday afternoon with Mrs. M. E. Arnold. — The Home bureau was very pleasantly entertained at an all day meeting, Tuesday, at the home of Mrs. M. E. Arnold. The millinery lesson was given.

SUCCESSFUL YOUNG MUSICIAN

Miss Ruth Root of Cooperstown Now Teaching in Danville, Pa.

Cooperstown, Mar. 12. — The following press notice concerning a Cooperstown young lady will be of interest to her many friends here:

"Miss Ruth Root of Averett college made her first appearance in recital in Danville, Pa., before a large and appreciative audience Monday evening, March 3, assisted by Eugene Putnam, pianist, and Miss Helen Gannon, who is unrivaled as an accompanist.

"Miss Root possesses a soprano voice of great sweetness of tone and wonderful range, her high notes being exceedingly clear and true."

Miss Ruth Root is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Root of Cooperstown. She is teaching music in Danville.

Returning to Cooperstown.

Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius L. Vandervoort have hired the Slack house on Susquehanna avenue and will move here from Ilion April 1.

Recovering From Operation.

Harold Ottaway is recovering from an operation for the relief of appendicitis recently performed at the Mary Imogene Bassett hospital.

McCarthy Buys Home.

John McCarthy has purchased the house at 30 Leatherstocking street and will move into it April 1.

Buys Nelson Avenue Property.

Harrison E. Converse has purchased of the Rogers estate the two-story frame building on Nelson avenue used as a garage by the Rogers family.

Personals.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel L. Warrin went to Erie, Pa., Saturday to visit their daughter. — Mrs. George Shaw has been a guest of her mother at St. Johnsville. — Mrs. T. C. Turner and Miss Emma Cory, who have been at Orlando, Fla., for a few months, start on the home trip March 17.—George Ottaway is receiving treatment at the Mary Imogene Bassett hospital.

ELK CREEK NEWS.

Elk Creek, Mar. 12.—Mrs. Robert Rosebloom is in poor health. Mrs. John Rosebloom of Westford is assisting her with the household duties. —Mrs. A. G. Wiley and John Gillette are improving in health.—Mrs. Hattie Shaver is a guest at the home of Victor Cole.—Mrs. Mahlon Eaton and sons of Oneonta spent the week-end with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hoyer.—Miss Lola Patrick spent a couple of days in Oneonta last week.—Several of our people have been suffering with hard colds, among others being [illegible], Mrs. A. R. Stilwell and son, Robert, and George Gunnison.—The following were called here to attend the funeral of the late Morris Shepherd Saturday: Mr. and Mrs. Merlin Shepherd of Albany, Mrs. Harry Shepherd of Albany, Harry Shepherd and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Shepherd of Schenectady. Mr. and Mrs. David Roe of Otego and Mr. and Mrs. James Epton of Oneonta.

MARCH DAYS IN EDMESTON.

Forty Men Attend Banana Social Last Monday Evening.

Edmeston, Mar. 12. — An enthusiastic Banana social was held at the Baptist church Monday evening with an attendance of about 40 men. An excellent supper was served by the committee in charge, after which Judge U. G. Welch, in his usual pleasing manner, acted as toastmaster. Dr. Woodward responded with a helpful and inspiring talk; and C. W. Horton read a humorous selection which was much enjoyed. As a pleasant close to a most enjoyable evening, the assembled company adjourned to the lecture room, where all were invited to participate in the singing led by S. D. Talbot.

Caring for Those Ill.

Miss Florence Carlise of the High school faculty was called to Oneonta Saturday to assist in the care of her guardian, Mrs. Clarence Avery, who sustained serious injuries as a result of a fall on the ice last week. Mrs. Floyd Card is acting as substitute teacher during the absence of Miss Carlise.

Miss Mary Simmons is in New Berlin caring for Mrs. Polly Banks.

Thimble Party Tuesday.

The ladies of the Eastern Star held a thimble party at the home of Mrs. B. S. Sherman Tuesday afternoon.

Others Also Ill.

Dr. L. C. VanWagner of New Berlin was in town Monday, in consultation with Dr. Lough in the case of Mrs. E. C. Linn, who is making a very slow recovery from her recent illness.

William Dutton, superintendent of the state highways, is confined to his home by an attack of appendicitis.

Paul VanHoesen is suffering from a relapse of his recent illness caused by ptomaine poisoning.

Edmeston Personals.

Postmaster and Mrs. L. W. Locke were in Utica Tuesday, Mr. Locke returning that night and Mrs. Locke remaining indefinitely. — Mrs. Arthur Hoxie, who is spending the winter at the Hoxie home here, was in Leonardsville last week to attend the funeral of Mrs. J. F. Rogers. — Mrs. Thomas Fuller is quite ill at her home south of the village. — E. C. Linn, proprietor of Linn's dry goods store, is in New York city this week, purchasing his spring stock. — Mr. Potter of Penn Yan, who is in charge of the steam shovel used in the construction of the New Berlin-Edmeston state road, is critically ill with pneumonia at the Geokin house. His wife is with him, assisting in his care.

MIDDLEFIELD CENTER.

Middlefield Center, March 12. — George K. Huntington of Montvale, N. J., who accompanied the remains of Alvin Parmelee here for burial last week Wednesday, remained until Thursday with his sister, Mrs. Robert Harbison. — Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Gates of Cooperstown spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gates. — Mr. and Mrs. Edric Mason from near Cooperstown were recent guests of his sister, Mrs. D. A. Barnum. — Robert Harbison attended a meeting of the Town board at Phoenix Mills last Friday. — D. C. Clyde spent Monday in Cooperstown with Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Pier, Mrs. Clyde who had been there for a few days returned home with him. — Mrs. Thomas Cunningham returned home on Sunday from several days' stay with relatives in Portlandville. — Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Morrison and son, Donald, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Barnum on Sunday.

MILFORD VILLAGE ELECTION

To Be Held on Tuesday, March 18, 1 to 5 P. M.

Milford, Mar. 12. — The annual election of the village of Milford will be held at Firemen's hall on Tuesday afternoon, March 18, from 1 to 5 o'clock, for the purpose of electing a president for one year, trustee for two years, collector and treasurer.

Village Improvement Meeting.

The regular March meeting of the Milford Village Improvement society was held last Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. R. J. Beames with a good attendance. The next meeting will be held the first Friday in April at the home of Mrs. W. R. Seeber.

Library Supper Friday Evening.

The supper for the benefit of the Milford Free library, which was postponed last month, will be held on Friday evening of this week at the Methodist Episcopal church, commencing at 8:30 o'clock. An excellent supper will be served and the committee hopes for a liberal patronage.

Social at Mt. Vision.

Mt. Vision, Mar. 12. — The young people of the Otego Valley grange will entertain the older people at a carpetrag social at the Grange hall on Saturday night next. Everyone is invited. Grangers will please bring cakes or sandwiches. Each lady will bring a ball of carpet rags, with name written on a piece of paper and placed inside.

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Delaware County News

DEATH OF JAMES H. MILLER

Well Known Resident of South Kortright, Native of Bovina, Passes Away Tuesday Evening—Funeral Friday Afternoon.

Hobart, Mar. 12. — James H. Miller died at the family home in South Kortright, Tuesday evening at 8:20 o'clock. Mr. Miller had been in his usual health until two weeks ago when he was striken with pneumonia. His only son, J. Victor Miller, a student at Harvard Dental university, Boston, Mass., was called home and assisted Mrs. Miller in caring for him, but despite the best of care the weakened body could not withstand the ravages of the disease and failed to rally.

Beside the widow and son mentioned, he is survived by a brother, John Miller of Binghamton, a niece, Mrs. Carrie Wetmore, a nephew James R. Nesbitt of Schenevus, besides more distant relatives and friends in Delhi, Hobart, and Davenport, where the family had lived at different times. Mr. Miller was the son of James and Madeline (Hastings) Miller, and was born at Bovina, February 15, 1845, and was married in 1895 to Miss Anna Rockwell of Hobart.

Funeral services will be held Friday, March 15, at 1 p. m. in the United Presbyterian church of which he had been a member and faithful attendant, serving as Sunday School superintendent for a time, and an elder of the church for many years. His pastor, Rev. H. A. Armitage, will have charge of the services. Interment at the cemetery at South Kortright.

Hobart Personals.

Mrs. Burr Dales and Mrs. Buster Cronk and son were guests of South Kortright friends, Wednesdaq. —Dr. W. S. Oart of Oneonta and Dr. Allen of Bloomville were professional callers in South Kortright, Wednesday.

FUNERAL OF FREDERICK STONE.

Services Held Tuesday at M. E. Church in Unadilla.

Sidney Center, Mar. 12.—The funeral of Frederick Stone, who was found dead in his home near Youngs last Saturday, was held Tuesday in the Methodist Episcopal church in Unadilla, his pastor, Rev. J. M. Coleman, officiating, and burial was given in the cemetery at East Sidney. Mr. Stone had been in rather feeble health for some time suffering from hardening of the arteries and had also been subject to attacks of indigestion, and the cause of his sudden death is thought to have been either a shock or acute indigestion. He was 69 years of age and moved here about six years ago from Starucca, Pa. He is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Roy G. Sawyer and Mrs. Charles W. Mann of Endicott and Mrs. Fravette H. Smith of Hawley, Pa.; also two brothers and a sister, William Stone of this village, and Frank and Etta Stone of Franklin.

In Critical Condition.

George Haight, who was taken to the Fox Memorial hospital in Oneonta about ten days ago for treatment, is said to be in a critical condition. His niece, Mrs. Edward Rider of East Sidney, was in Oneonta on Tuesday to visit him.

Four Thousand Chicks.

Mrs. Alex Rolig has her custom hatchery in operation and expects to furnish her customers with over 4,000 baby chicks this spring.

Truck Overturns.

Harry Smilo of Binghamton, driving a Brockway speed truck, turned over down a steep bank on Crane hill last Monday evening. Mr. Smilo was caught inside the cab and unable to extricate himself, but fortunately the accident was seen and help soon arrived. Mr. Smilo was considerably bruised but not seriously injured, but the truck was quite badly damaged. The wrecking crew from Howe's garage picked up the wrecked car and towed it in for repairs.

M. E. Church Meeting.

At a meeting of the members of the Methodist church last Friday afternoon, W. H. Benedict was elected the delegate from this church to the lay electoral conference which will meet in Binghamton April 4. William Bartz was elected reserve delegate.

Entertain Husbands.

The ladies of the Delta Alpha Sunday school class will entertain their husbands at a St. Patrick's day banquet on Monday evening, March 17, at the Methodist parsonage. An entertaining program of Irish readings and songs is being arranged and an out-of-town speaker is expected to be present.

EAST SIDNEY NEWS.

East Sidney, March 12. — Mrs. T. H. Morse of Unadilla spent some time last week with cousins at the Watties homestead. — Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Green of Oneonta were week-end guests at the home of his father, Charles Green. — Charles Fesenden has installed a radio set at his home. This is the second one in the neighborhood. — Miss Dorothy Gager spent last week with her friend, Thorna Henion, in Unadilla, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gorman. — Mr. and Mrs. Perle Bidwell are moving from the Charles Conklin place to the John Silvernall house in Crookerville. — James D. Thompson of Hamden came Saturday to spend a week with Mr. and Mrs. Burt Constable, the latter being his sister. — The funeral of Fred Stone, who died at his home in Youngs, was held from Joyce's undertaking parlors in Unadilla Tuesday. Charles Green, John McKown, Burt Constable and Ora Gager, relatives of the deceased, acted as bearers. Interment in the East Sidney cemetery. — Mr. Reser of Livingston Manor has rented the Charles Conklin farm and will take possession about March 15.

MRS. LILLIAN McKILLIP DEAD.

Had Been Wintering in Florida—Storm Ties Up Several Cars.

Stamford, Mar. 12.—Word has been received at Stamford of the death March 10, of Mrs. Lillian McKillip, widow of the late Charles McKillip, former proprietor of the Mountain View and Lakeside summer hotels in this village. Mrs. McKillip has been in Florida for the winter, but no details of her death are obtainable at this time.

Visited by Bad Storm.

Tuesday this section was visited by a severe snow and wind storm from 5 a. m. until into the evening. Over a foot of snow fell and all roads were badly drifted but were opened again for traffic Wednesday. It was not cold but the wind blew a gale. Several autos were reported stuck on Thorpe hill.

St. Patrick's Day Supper.

On Monday evening the ladies of the Presbyterian church serve a St. Patrick's day supper at the church parlors.

"On the Hiring Line."

"On the Hiring Line," a society comedy drama will be presented by a cast of home talent at the Opera house Friday evening for the benefit of Stamford Methodist Episcopal church. There will be vaudeville between the acts given by junior members of the Sunday school. The entire entertainment is under the direction of Miss Helen Hubbard. Elaborate costumes will be furnished by local and out of town merchants. Electrician Eisenrick has arranged for extra stage lighting effects and the play promises to be a big success.

The New Theatre Projects.

Rumor has it that there will be changes made in ownership and plans for contemplated building of new theatres in Stamford and that one will be erected on the East Main street lot by new land owners.

East Meredith Home Bureau.

East Meredith, Mar. 12. — The Home bureau will meet Thursday, March 13, for an all-day meeting with Mrs. H. D. Hanford. Miss Launt of Walton will be present. Please bring note book, pencil, a sample of colored material and a small piece of wash material. This lesson will be on color and selection of material.

SUNDRY SHORT STORIES

The Bottle Market.

"Any bottles to sell, mum?"

"No," replied the lady haughtily, "we don't save such truck. We throw our old bottles away. You wouldn't pay anything, anyhow."

"That all depends, mum. For authentic gin bottles we pay 50 cents apiece."—[Louisville Courier-Journal.

Keeping Up Appearances.

Husband (waking suddenly at 11:30) —What in the world was that noise?

Wife—It's all right, dear. The people are coming home from the opera and slipped down and gave our front door a slam, so the neighbors would think we'd been there.

Comparisons.

Madge—Are you going to ask the rector what books you should read?

Marjorie—Gracious, no! I'd as soon think of taking mamma with me to pick out a bathing suit.—[New Yrok Sun and Globe.

Then the Fun Started.

Mrs. Gusherly—"May I sit beside you, Mr. Bashfulboy? I just offered to sit beside that wretched Mr. Nettleton and he said he was particular about the company he kept."

Mr. Bashfulboy—"Did he really? Ha, ha! Yes, certainly, sit right here. I'm not a bit particular."—[American Legion Weekly.

Never Said Before.

Kitty—"Bob told me last night that I was the most wonderful girl in the world."

Mame—"Gee! He ought to patent that before it gets around."—[Boston Transcript.

Saved.

Small Boy (to stranger who has rescued him—"Thank you mister. I'm glad you pulled me out. I woulda got into an awful row at home if I'd been drowned."—[Pathfinder.

The Masculine View.

"If a woman will use her brains," says Mrs. Chatfield, "she will dress on $3,000 a year."

For heaven's sake, Tilly, don't you use your brains, go it blind!—[Buffalo Evening Times.

Big dance at village hall Delhi, Thursday evening, March 13. Music by Pease orchestra. advt 3t

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TODAY AND TOMORROW

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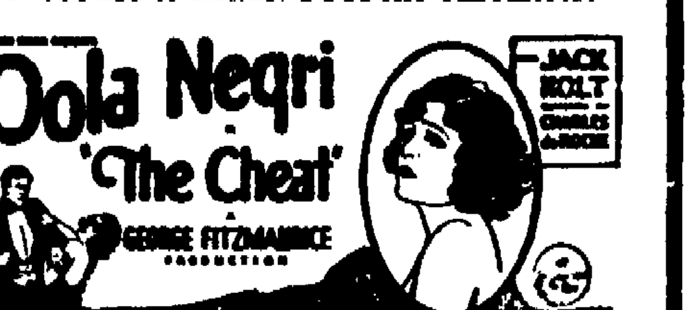

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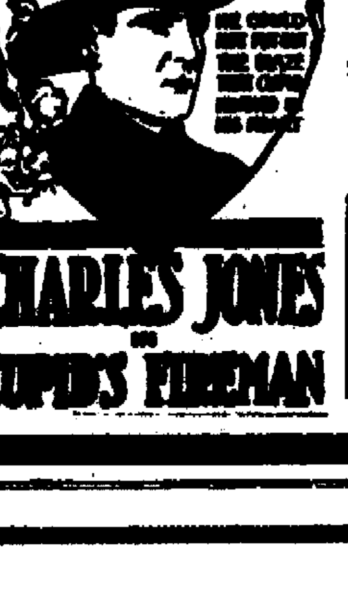

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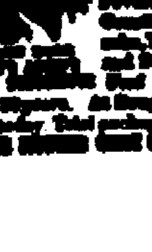

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FIGHT FIRE ON FARMS.

The National Board of Fire Underwriters is compiling a record of fire losses on farm property in various states covering the period of 1918-1921. The total will run well toward $100,000,000.

The average farm house is not subjected to danger caused by fire in adjoining buildings as is the case with city buildings. On the other hand there is little or no fire protection provided for farm dwellings or outbuildings.

Too many farmers fail to recognize the ever-present danger from fire. Farm buildings should be the most easily safeguarded against loss from various fires.

Chiefly responsible among the known causes of fires on farm property are lightning, defective chimneys and flues, stoves, furnaces, boilers and their pipes, spontaneous combustion, matches, smoking and petroleum and its products.

Every farmer knows that he can remove the lightning hazard by a very simple and inexpensive method of lightning rod equipment. Defective chimneys and flues are wholly within the control of the owner of the property. Proper repairing of stoves, furnaces, boilers and pipes is a matter of good housekeeping which it is almost criminal to neglect. Sparks on roofs cannot be entirely eliminated, but if the chimneys are tight and run to a proper height danger from this cause is reduced to a minimum. Fires caused by petroleum and its products can be wholly eliminated if proper care is maintained in using these articles and if they are kept in receptacles intended for the purpose. Spontaneous combustion usually results either from oily rags, paint or similar material left carelessly where last used or from explosions in barns due to improper ventilation. It is simple to avoid these hazards by the use of ordinary intelligence.

For every bit of farm property that is destroyed, the profits of some farmer are wiped out and the "problems of agriculture" are increased by just that much, for the farmer must produce new capital with which to replace property destroyed. This must all be charged up against the high cost of production on farms.

As to fatalities and mutilations due to fire on the farm, there are no available statistics but conservative opinion holds that of the 30,000 deaths and injuries by fire in the United States in 1923, a regrettable number occurred in rural districts.

To avoid this larger part of America's fire loss, whether it be in town or country, does not require any specialized knowledge, but only the quality of ordinary carefulness and the exercise of common sense.

A SERIOUS PROBLEM.

Unquestionably one of the most serious problems which the state of New York has to contend with is that of the care of the insane, and in particular of the alien insane of the commonwealth. According to the last statistical report there are 41,302 such patients on the records of the civil state hospitals; and that 17,861 are foreign born. This is 43.1 per cent of the total. Of these nearly 18,000 foreign born mental defectives 7,373 have been naturalized and 10,440 are alien. During the year there were 3,900 new cases admitted to the hospitals, and of these 2,073 are foreign born and 1,876 still aliens. As the actual expenditures per capita for its insane wards is $327.86 each, the total sum which the state pays for the care of its alien patients is over three millions of dollars annually.

Last fall the state of New York voted the sum of $45,000,000 for improvements and extensions to its hospitals for the insane. Had the state been obligated for the care of only its native born and naturalized citizens, the sum needed would have been ten millions of dollars less, which certainly is a sum worth considering. Or from another standpoint, had New York no foreign-born insane, no additions to its hospitals would in years have been necessary.

Of course, for protection of its own citizens, it is necessary to care for these insane persons not our own; but the facts pretty strongly indicate that there should be a stricter inspection of those seeking entrance to our shores. The proportion of the foreign-born insane is very much larger than that of the native born to the entire population; and if the federal government, which has exclusive oversight, admits foreigners without sufficient inquiry as to their mental condition, then it should assume exclusive care of them. Twenty-five per cent of the residents of New York state are foreign born, according to the last census, but it has far beyond its proportion of insane. Were the native born inmates in like proportion in the state institutions, then the number of them would be 53,500 instead of less than 15,000 as at present.

Cooperstown Bareas Condemn.

Following a discussion of the recent burning of a fiery cross in the vicinity of Cooperstown, the Bareas class of the Baptist church at its regular session last Sunday went on record as opposed to this "desecration of a symbol sacred to all religious institutions" and expressing a unanimous sentiment in favor of a more strict observance of law and order in Cooperstown. — [Freeman's Journal.

George Ross Win Colgate Prizes.

In the list of last year's prize winners at Colgate university announced by the secretary of that institution last week appear the names of Frank [illegible] of Milford, who won [illegible] Sheldon Le[illegible] Hopkins Greek [illegible] the second [illegible] and John Kingsley [illegible]

WHAT THE PAPERS SAY

The President.

It is the exercise for words to impute to President Coolidge the slightest impropriety in the telegrams sent by him to Mr. McLean at Palm Beach. If we had no other basis for this belief than Mr. Coolidge's unblemished character as man and citizen, that would be enough. Calvin Coolidge is the matured product of 50 years of upright living. His integrity is spotless, his aims are exalted. Confidence in his rectitude cannot be shaken because in his character he has the most perfect defense a public man could possess against suspicion, innuendo or even slander. —[Springfield Republican.

A New Championship.

Bill Tilden is girding himself for another championship. He has already won eminence in his particular branch of athletic sports such as no other man has ever attained. Even if he were to repeat his past performances in actual play he could scarcely add to his already plentiful laurels. But now he aims to become the champion of all those who have felt the censorious hand of the group in the Lawn Tennis association, which is attempting to dictate what shall be the conduct of tennis players when they are seeking a necessary livelihood.—[Philadelphia Record.

The Rainmaker.

Rainmakers have always been hovering on the horizon, but none of them has ever been able to secure enough public confidence to make him a reliable factor in human affairs. It took the genius of the motion picture manufacturers to discover an unfailing source of rain. But they merely sent Los Angeles street flushers, which are capable of making rain enough for the camera, although the supply would be useless to a farmer.—[New York Herald.

India's Demands.

The British cabinet has decided to appoint a committee to consider the insistent demands in India for self-government. This action parallels in some measure that taken in Washington the other day when the house committee on insular affairs moved to bring the question of Philippine independence up for congressional discussion. Of course, India has no real expectation of achieving actual independence.—[Philadelphia Ledger.

The Gasping Finish.

A broken snow shovel, a fire shovel that hangs by a shred, a mountain of ashes and a wrecked disposition—well, we just naturally hope March means business and is not just flirting.—[South Bend Tribune.

MISS ROSAMOND MATTESON.

Junior Extension Board Elects Assistant Leader for Otsego.

At the meeting of the Otsego County Junior Extension board, held in the Huntington Memorial library yesterday afternoon, the following board members were present: Miss Grace Louden, Mrs. Lee Kinne, Porter Hadsell, John Frederick, Frederic Strong, [illegible] Harrison Comstart, David Skellie, E. D. Lindsey and Earl Chase. W. J. Wright, the state club leader, Harlo Beals, the county agricultural agent, and L. I. Towsley, the county club agent, were also present.

Miss Rosamond Matteson of Laurens was appointed assistant leader for the home making junior projects and will begin her duties on March 17. A program for the year was adopted and other matters of importance to carrying on the work were discussed and action taken. More details in regard to this program will be given at a later date.

That Body of Yours

By James W. Barton, M.D.

A REASONABLE QUESTION

A very straight question is often asked of the physician regarding Rheumatism.

If my tonsils, my teeth, my gall bladder, the sinuses or caverns adjoining my nose are causing my acute attack of Rheumatism, how is it that I get over my attack without having any of those causes removed?

Now that would appear to be a very sensible question, but what really happens?

You have been working hard, have been indoors much of the time, eating heavy meals, getting no outdoor exercise, and are just ready for trouble, due to neglect of your body.

Along comes a very wet day, perhaps some family or financial trouble.

You are below par.

Your resistive forces are at a low point.

The bad tonsils, teeth, or intestine are manufacturing the poisons and your blood at first is in poor fighting condition. This allows the poisons to accumulate in the joints and you have a well established case of Rheumatism.

However, you have little fighters in your body that though defeated at first gradually get the upper hand and your Rheumatism pains away.

You see you do various things to help these fighters.

First you get right off your feet, and give your heart a chance to strengthen itself up a bit.

Then your intestine is always the first thing cleaned out, and with it goes some of the poison that is in the blood.

With this rest, and with the intestine and blood purer, these little fighters gradually master the acute attack of Rheumatism and you feel better.

Perhaps a little later you have another attack due to the same causes as before, and down you go again.

What is my thought?

That some day these poisons may be too strong, perhaps actually get to the valve of the heart and cause permanent trouble.

And the suggestion?

That you have your doctor or dentist try to locate the exact part where the trouble starts. They will be successful almost every time.

TOO MANY COOKS

TWENTY AND THIRTY YEARS AGO

Days of Old Recalled by Items Clipped from The Star Files.

March 13, 1894.

Cobleskill wants an agricultural college and its citizens are organizing to further the project.

William H. Whitmore, who recently passed the civil service examination for the position of guard at the Elmira reformatory, has received an appointment and leaves tomorrow to commence his duties.

The office of the superintendent of the Susquehanna division of the D. & H. will, on May 1, be transferred from Albany to Oneonta. The company has leased the pleasant suite of rooms in the Wilber block, long occupied by Former Congressman D. F. Wilber, and other rooms in the rear, and the superintendent will occupy them for a time at least.

The National Protective legion has installed the following officers: Past president, H. Birdsall; president, Thomas Miller; vice president, Letta M. Platt; secretary and treasurer, H. M. Bard; chaplain, Mary L. Bouton; conductor, Anna W. Eldred; guard, Elizabeth Sperry; sentinel, B. E. Emmons; trustee, B. E. Emmons.

March 13, 1904.

Bicycles are quite numerous about the streets these days.

Fred M. H. Jackson, formerly in business here, has returned to Oneonta and will look after the books and collections of The Star.

With all the other indications of an early spring—beautiful, mild and sunshiny weather, an occasional thunder storm, frost gone out of the ground, the crocus and snowdrop coming forth, arbutus hunters on the hills, sap running in streams from the maple trees—robin red breast was chirping his first notes yesterday on Normal hill.

Considerable enthusiasm was manifested at the charter election of the village held yesterday in the vacant store in the Stanton block. There were 1166 votes cast. J. C. Richmond was re-elected trustee from the fourth ward and Samuel Coon was re-elected trustee from the sixth ward. John Cope was elected treasurer and J. Crippen collector. All are Republicans except Mr. Crippen.

THE GUIDE POST—BY HENRY VAN DYKE

CHRISTIANITY TELLS

"I tell you the truth."—John 8:45.

Christianity is a revealing religion, [illegible] conveys to the inquiring spirit certain great and positive solutions of the problems of life.

It is not silent, not ambiguous, not incomprehensible in its utterance.

It replies to our questions with a knowledge which, though limited, is definite and sufficient.

It tells us that this "order of nature, which constitutes the world's experience is only one portion of the total universe."

That the ruler of both worlds, seen and unseen, is God, a Spirit, and the Father of our spirits.

That he is not distant from us nor indifferent to us, but that he has given his Son, Jesus Christ, to be our Saviour.

That his Spirit is ever present with us to help us in our conflicts with evil, in our efforts toward goodness.

That he is making all things work together for good to those that love him.

"The first and the most essential condition of true happiness," writes Professor Carl Hilty, the eminent Swiss jurist, "is a firm faith in the moral order of the world.

"What is the happy life?

"It is a life of conscious harmony with this divine order of the world, a sense, that is to say, of God's companionship.

"And wherein is the predominant unhappiness?

"It is in the sense of the remoteness from God, leaving into irremediable restlessness of heart, and finally into incapacity to make one's life fruitful or effective."

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THAT GASOLINE TAX

Over Six Millions Estimated Receipts From Levy of Cent a Gallon in Lord Bill.

Among the several bills of interest to drivers and owners of motor cars which during the past week have been advanced or introduced in the legislature at Albany, is the Lord Gasoline Tax bill, which proposes to levy a tax of one cent per gallon on all gasoline sold in the state. The bill, which has been introduced by the assemblymen from Chenango county, and which is growing in favor in the legislature, will, it is estimated, bring in an annual revenue of $6,300,000 to be apportioned 10 per cent to the state for collecting and 90 per cent to the counties, on basis of mileage of highways, to be used for the construction and maintenance of highways under sections 320 A-B of the Highway law, and providing that 20 percent of each counties share may be used in the removal of snow under the direction of the Board of Supervisors.

The scheme is based on an estimated average consumption of 755 gallons per car, per annum, and it is the purpose of the introducer to increase the tax next year, if the above rate of 1c per gallon does not produce sufficient revenue.

Other bills lately introduced are that by Mr. Westbrook, which requires trucks to display one red and one green light on front end of car at night; and three others by Mr. Lord. These are: Headlighting devices must be accompanied by illustrated instructions for attaching and adjustment; motor vehicle commissioner may designate testing stations; one hundred additional state police whose particular duty shall be to prevent and check up violations of the motor vehicle law. The bill introduced in the assembly by Mr. Westbrook has also been introduced in the senate by Mr. Ryan.

RURAL SCHOOL HEARING.

Announced That Measure Will Be Discussed Wednesday Next.

John B. McManus, one of the district superintendent of schools of the county, calls attention to the fact that there will be a hearing on the Rural School bill at Albany on Wednesday, March 19, beginning at 2 o'clock. This is the measure that is being put forward by the Committee of 21 and in which the rural people of the state are deeply concerned. All residents of school districts with a population of 4,500 or less are affected by the proposed bill and there should be large delegations present at the hearing to discuss the merits of the proposed measure and suggest changes in the same if desired. It is a very important measure to the rural schools and to residents of rural districts.

Lenten Classes at Universalist Church

The first of a series of Lenten classes will be held by the Y. P. C. U. of the Universalist church on Thursday evening, March 13, at 7:30 o'clock. Studies in the Life of Christ will be the object of this class. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

For Sale—The old Richmond hotel site, suitable for large summer boarding house or several building lots; best location in Laurens; also house and double lot west of trolley station. Franklin C. Keyes, Laurens, N. Y. advt 5t

FINISHES NEW "BUSY WORLD."

Little Falls Man Has Masterpiece in Mechanical Village.

Eugene D. Calkins, whose mechanical clock and "Busy World" have for years been features at fairs in Central New York, and who at one time resided in Cooperstown, though now living at Little Falls, has just completed a new mechanical village that is a wonder. It is placed on a platform 7½ feet by 16 feet in size and shows many activities of village and country life, with some extras added for good measure. Sixty-two figures of men and women, and a few animals, all carved from wood, are shown and all of them are in motion at the same time. From a neat farm cottage on one corner, a woman comes to the door and blows the dinner horn, calling the men at work harvesting grain in the nearby field. A fully equipped blacksmith shop is shown, with one man shoeing a horse and another at work at the forge, first heating his iron and then turning and hammering it into shape on the anvil. Carpenter, wheelwright, and other woodworkers are shown.

One man is eating his dinner from his pail that he holds on his lap, and nearby another is smoking his pipe, exhaling the smoke as he removes the pipe from his mouth. On another corner of the platform is a dancing girl in full action, with the orchestra seated nearby with their instruments of music. A steam shovel shows the actual operation of that machine, and there is a farm yard with a drove of hogs, where one of the hogs is rubbing its sides against a post and the farm boy is scratching the back of another hog. It is a most interesting piece of work and affords amusement and interest for long study. Mr. Calkins sold a similar, but much smaller machine last year and has already had a very flattering offer for this larger and more complete machine.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Pursuant to an order of Sheldon B Close, surrogate of the county of Otsego, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against the estate of Anna M. Gould, deceased, late of the city of Oneonta, in said county, that they are required to exhibit the same, with vouchers thereof, to the undersigned executor of the last will and testament of the said deceased, at the law offices of Owen C. Becker, Esq., in the city of Oneonta, in said county, on or before the 10th day of July, next.

Dated, December 18, 1923.

Adolphus E. Newell, Executor

Owen C. Becker, Attorney for Executor, Oneonta, N. Y.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Pursuant to an order by Sheldon B. Close, surrogate of the county of Otsego, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against the estate of Charles E. Heald, deceased, late of the city of Oneonta, in said county, that they are required to exhibit the same, with vouchers thereof, to the undersigned executrix of the estate of the said deceased, at the law office of Sheldon B. Close, in the city of Oneonta, in said county, on or before the 1st day of [illegible]

Dated, September 18th, 1923.

Jane F. Heald, Executrix.

George L. Gibbs, Attorney for Executrix, Oneonta, N. Y.

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LOCAL MENTION

—R. W. Murdock is assisting for a time at the store of Lauren & Rowe.

—Special preaching at St. James' church tonight at 7:30. The preacher will be Rev. Elmore E. Hutchinson, rector of Zion church, Morris.

—There was a good attendance last evening at the meeting of the Ladies' guild, which was held at the parsonage on Grove street. Routine business was transacted and plans were made for a supper at a date later to be announced.

DR. BIEDERMAN LEAVES CITY

Accepts Position With Former Employer in New York.

Charles I. Biederman, for some time engaged as an optometrist in this city, has closed his office at 246 Main street and gone to New York city, where he has secured a lucrative position with M. H. Harris & company, optometrists and opticians, with offices in various sections of New York city and has commenced his duties. Mr. Biederman was in the employ of this company before coming to Oneonta and they made him an attractive offer to return and he accepted, the conviction being that the financial returns will be more remunerative than he could anticipate here for a time at least.

Mr. Biederman has been considered a competent man in his profession and had built up quite a clientele who will regret his departure. Mr. Biederman has been Boy Scout commissioner in Oneonta for some time and has done excellent work for the troops under his administration. His removal leaves a vacancy there to be filled. Mrs. Biederman and son, Charles, Jr., will remain in Oneonta as the latter is in school here. It is not unlikely that they will reside here permanently, as it is anticipated that Mr. Biederman will later return to practice his profession here.

CAPT. JUDGE IN FINE HUMOR.

Delights Large Gathering at "Family Night" at Elm Park Church.

"Laughs Along the Line of March," was the title of a very interesting and humorous address given by Captain J. A. Judge of the Chapin church at the "Family Night" gathering at the Elm Park church last night. There was a large attendance and Captain Judge was in fine humor and his address proved a running story of humorous incidents gleaned by the speaker during his army service. He has the happy faculty of seeing the laughable side of most incidents and the audience greatly enjoyed his address.

Other features of the evening were musical numbers rendered by a trio consisting of Mrs. Mary Baker, Charles Borden and Kenneth Lough; two solos, by Clayton VanTassell, and readings by Miss Ethel M. Beach, all of which were enjoyed keenly.

Following the program refreshments were served and were in turn followed with a social hour, the evening being one of much enjoyment for all.

Meetings Today.

Girl Scout Trop 2 will hold its regular weekly meeting in Community house this afternoon at 4:15.

Regular meeting of the G. I. A., in Odd Fellows' hall, this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

The Young Ladies' society of St. Mary's church will hold their regular meeting tonight in the church hall. Each member is urged to be present.

Special meeting of the Catholic Daughters of America will be held in the clubrooms this evening at 8 o'clock. All members urged to attend.

Regular meeting Knights of Columbus, this evening at 8 o'clock, in K. of C. hall.

Officers of Queen Amelia court will meet this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in Masonic hall for rehearsal.

Business Men's Athletic class will meet this evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Name to Change.

The name of the Sons of Veterans may be changed to that of Sons of the Grand Army of the Republic. Membership in the organization is limited to the descendants of the Civil War veterans and for this reason it was found that the term "Sons of Veterans" was misleading. A committee appointed at the last G. A. R. encampment has suggested the change.

Auction Friday March 21.

Sixteen horses went through the auction ring last week, at very low prices. This week we have more booked than ever. Including cows and one sow due to forrow first of April. We have part of a load of [illegible] at very low prices. If in need of horses, cows, harnesses or wagons, attend this sale. H. W. Sheldon, 368½ Main street, Oneonta. advt 2t

Basketball at the armory Friday night. Hartwick Seminary versus Company G. Preliminary game at 7:30 p. m. High School Second team versus Shoemen. Admission, adults 25 cents; children under 14, 10 cents. advt 1t.

For Sale — Well established millinery business, fully equipped. Stock and fixtures. Everything ready for business. Will sell at actual inventory cost. No charge for the business. Mrs. C. H. Peaslee's agency, 9 Pine street. Phone 992. advt 2t

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Kilmoyer's cafeteria—For sale separate from block. Good opportunity for right party. Arrange personal interview. advt 3t

Another Firemen's Dance Friday.

Everybody is going to have a great time at the Firemen's dance Friday night. advt 1t

Cash register wanted. Name from 1c up. Call 433 between 12 and 1 and 5 and 7 p. m. advt 1t.

RAILWAY AND COMMUNITIES

George E. Bates of D. & H. Official Gives an Address Before Department of Companies and Communities.

There was a large attendance yesterday of the membership of the Kiwanis club at the luncheon served at noon at the Elks' club house. An excellent dinner was provided and after it had been properly processed and disposed, W. R. Cardinell, Delaware & Hudson agent in Oneonta, who presided at the meeting, introduced George E. Bates of Albany, assistant to the vice-president of the company, who delivered an inspiring address on the general theme of "Railroad Industrial Relations with the Communities. Speaking for about thirty minutes, Mr. Bates brought out many facts which could not fail to interest his hearers.

In his address Mr. Bates noted the fact that cooperation between railroads and communities was mutually beneficial, and that the companies, perhaps to an extent from selfish motives, realized that for railroads to be prosperous the communities through which its lines run must grow. The Delaware & Hudson lines, from the time they were started by the Canal company, were primarily coal producing and coal transporting lines. At that time the general impetus of railroad construction was directed to the west and south; but when conditions and its production of coal required that the D. & H. should increase its facilities it wisely built north from Carbondale, and then to the east and north, making its mines the primary source of supply for coal coming into central and northern New York, the later to and over the Canadian border.

The management of the company, however, appreciated the fact that its lines ran through a fertile farming section and then to the Adirondacks, —a region which contains more iron of high quality than has yet been opened in the country—and that eventually this source of great riches would be utilized. The Adirondack region, he said, contains everything necessary for the production of pig iron except coke, and that to remedy this want operations have already begun for the production of this fuel in the Capital district. It is hoped that this industry will soon reach a proportion which will make possible the utilization of this iron ore, an enterprise which would be of benefit to all communities along the line and particularly to Oneonta and vicinity.

In conclusion Mr. Bates urged that communities should liberally support their Chamber of Commerce, and the railroads in efforts to improve the community. In other words, the communities should take as full an interest in railroad development as the railroads should take in the communities, and both working for their mutual benefit.

W. F. Boeworth was elected a member of the Kiwanis club at the meeting. Stanley J. Kilkenny led the singing, which as always was a fine feature of the gathering. Particularly notable was the solo number by Linn L. Gardner, which his friends unanimously pronounced a howling success.

NOVEL PROGRAM ARRANGED

Young People of First Baptist Church To Present Some Dramatic Songs and One-Act Play on Friday Evening.

The young people of the First Baptist church are planning an entertainment for Friday evening, March 14, at 7:30 p. m., in the dining room of the church. The program follows:

PART I

Dramatic songs by the Johnson's, a negro family. George Washington Johnson. Newton Darling. Abraham Lincoln Johnson. Reginald Burdick.
Josephus Johnson. Myron Lewis.
Mrs. Johnson. Pauline Davenport.
Petunia Johnson. Dorothy Tipple.
Daisy Johnson. Myrtle Pierce.
Lily Johnson. Helen Yager.
Rosy Johnson. Celia Mills.
Pansy Johnson. Margaret Smith.
Snowdrop Johnson. Jane Smith.

PART II.

A one act play. Mrs. Mason's Poodle.
Mrs. Mason. Florine Todd.

Mrs. Flood. Elizabeth Sigsbee.
Imogene Flood. Mary Lyon.
Dorothea Flood. Eleanor Hutchinson.
Molly, Mrs. Mason's servant. Winifred Kinne.
Mrs. Johnson. Pauline Davenport.
Daisy Johnson. Myrtle Pierce.
Petunia Johnson. Dorothy Tipple.

Will Show L. O. O. M. Film.

Oneonta lodge, 358, Loyal Order of Moose, has made arrangements to have "Emblems of Love" shown at the Palace theatre March 31 and April 1. This picture is something of a story of Mooseheart and Moosehaven and has many scenes of these two places in its makeup. This picture was shown in Philadelphia for a week and thousands are said to have been turned away each night.

Why pay rent when you can buy a nice little five-room bungalow house with a nice piece of land, good water, fruit, near village, school, church, neighbors, plenty of work, only $500? Take it and act quick. Square Deal agency. advt 3t

Parents who wish to have their children's eyes examined are requested to bring them in the morning before their eyes become tired from study. L. W. Miller, 12 Central avenue. advt 1t

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HONORABLE ANNIVERSARY

ONEONTA CLUB CELEBRATES THIRTIETH ANNIVERSARY LAST EVENING BY ANNUAL MEETING

Of 115 Charter Members, 28 Are Alive and Still Connected With Organization of Whom 11 Were Present Last Evening — Reminiscences by C. F. Shelland and Readings by Miss Crippen Entertainment Features—Officers Elected.

The thirtieth anniversary of the organization of the Oneonta club was fittingly observed last evening at the club house on Dietz street, suitable entertainment and refreshments combining with the business of the annual meeting to make the occasion one of keen enjoyment to the large number of members in attendance. The members had been notified by card of the arrangements being made for the celebration, the result being an attendance rarely equalled in the history of the club.

At the annual meeting of the club, which was held preceding the entertainment, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President—Leslie Gardner.
First vice president—A. E. Morell.
Second vice president—J. S. Lauren.
Secretary and treasurer — J. Leslie Bagg.

Additional members of board of governors: Dr. George J. Dann, Dr. Lester S. Lang, Herbert C. Getman, P. R. Chambers, Ralph W. Murdock and Edward Crippen.

R. Baird and Guy F. Donahue were elected to resident membership and Lynn Peck of Unadilla to non-resident membership.

Following the business session President-Elect Gardner took the chair and after calling attention to the nature of the memorable occasion introduced Charles F. Shelland, who spoke interestingly of the early days of the club, its trials and tribulations and its successes.

Origin of Club.

The Oneonta club had its origin in the D. F. Wilber Hook and Ladder club, a social organization with a membership identical with the D. F. Wilber Hook and Ladder company, perhaps Oneonta's most famous volunteer fire fighting organization. The Hook and Ladder club was organized in 1889 with rooms in the old Wilber block, located where the A. M. Butts block now stands.

On the evening of March 14, 1894, the club voted to sever all connection with the Hook and Ladder company and a new organization, the Oneonta club, was formed and incorporated with a charter membership identical with the old organization and the following officers:

President—Albert Morris.
First vice president—E. J. Gurney.
Second vice president — George Northrup.
Secretary and treasurer — N. H. Enmons.

Board of governors: D. F. Wilber, C. F. Shelland, Dr. M. L. Ford, C. H. Borst, W. E. Ford, O. C. McCrum.

The need for a club house soon became imperative and a subscription paper was circulated among the members for funds with which to buy the lot on which the present club house now stands at the corner of Dietz street and Reynolds avenue. The house which stood thereon was sold for $75 and moved back on Reynolds avenue. Reynolds avenue came through from Church street only as far as the rear of the property at that time but was opened to Dietz street soon after. The club house was started in 1896 and in 1897 the organization moved therein. The funds to build the house were raised by means of a mortgage and a note signed by some of the members.

The club has had a most successful history since that time. Its policy has always been conservative and no drinking, gambling or betting have ever been allowed upon its premises. The present resident membership limit is 155 and there are at the present time but two vacancies.

An interesting fact in connection with the club is that never since the lot was bought has there been any solicitation for funds or any assessments. The running expenses of the club, as well as funds required for the purchase of equipment, have always come out of the initiation fees and dues of the members.

The following charter members of the club are still living and connected with the organization: George B. Baird, Henry H. Buckley, Charles M. Castetine, J. A. Dewar, George W. Fairchild, Arthur E. Ford, E. R. Ford, M. L. Ford, H. B. Gildersleeve, H. M. Goldsmith, Everett Gurney, Louis C. Gurney, M. C. Hemstreet, M. G. Keenan, A. L. Kellogg, B. C. Lauren, H. W. Lee, E. D. Lewis, O. C. McCrum, Irving H. Rowe, Charles F. Shelland, Charles Smith and Walter S. Whipple.

Following Mr. Shelland's most interesting address, Secretary J. L. Bagg read the minutes of the first meeting and the list of subscribers to the fund for the purchase of the lot.

Miss Crippen Entertains.

Miss Christine Crippen, daughter of Edward Crippen, a member of the board of governors of the club, then gave three readings which were thoroughly enjoyed by the members. Miss Crippen is a student at the Leland Powers school at Boston, Mass., and displayed last evening ability along elocutionary and dramatic lines which was a surprise to those not cognizant of her exceptional talent. Combining a pleasing appearance and voice with a deep appreciation of the possibilities of her selections, she gave a performance—if it might be termed that—which would have done great credit to a professional. Her first two selections were of a humorous nature and her last, given in response to hearty applause, was of a serious nature. All were equally enjoyable.

Following adjournment of the meeting the members gave themselves up to enjoyment of the entertainment facilities of the club house until 11 o'clock, when an elaborate and most appetizing buffet luncheon was served by the Kilkennys.

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PROSPECTS BRIGHTER

The Continuation of Delhi Agricultural School Says Reports from Albany—No Definite Announcement from Committee.

Reports coming from Albany yesterday relative to the prospects of the continuation of the School of Agriculture at Delhi were of an encouraging nature and it is believed that unless Governor Smith or Commissioner Graves make the matter a personal issue and resolve to force it through if possible the measure will be allowed to die with the passing of the legislature without having seen the light of day again.

It was said that the people from Monroe county returned home with a conviction that the residents of those counties in this part of the state need all the dairy schools that exist and that they (Monroe county farmers) are ready to withdraw all effort to secure the school provided they can be assured that Delhi and other supporters of the school will aid them in securing an agricultural school for the instruction of young men and women in horticulture and other industries that thrive in the western part of the state, when the proper time comes to make the effort.

The opinion was expressed about the capitol that the hearing had convinced the ways and means committee that it is no time now to stop efforts to train boys and girls for the farms, when each year witnesses an increasing number of farms abandoned and more and more of the farm duties left to the older men and women who still are fond of country life and desire to spend the rest of their days on the old farm. But for them more farms still would be vacant. It's a problem for the state to consider, what's to be done when the present generation of farmers leave the farms?

Encouragement was found also in the fact that in the preparation of the list of appropriations required for the maintenance of the schools of the state, the State School of Agriculture at Delhi is included for the usual annual appropriations. It is believed that if the department had anticipated that the measure abandoning the Delhi school would pass that the maintenance appropriation would have been dropped.

HOPKINS AGAIN IN TROUBLE

Former Oneonta Policeman Arrested Last Evening on Warrant Charging Jail Breaking.

Hugh Hopkins, former Oneonta policeman who last summer launched into a career of wrong doing which landed him in the Utica penitentiary for stealing an automobile, is in the city jail again, this time on a warrant charging jail breaking. It will be remembered that Hopkins was arrested last July in Oneonta for stealing a car in Utica and escaped the night of his arrest from the dentention room on the second floor of the Municipal building, being apprehended again, however, on the next day.

Hopkins served six months in the penitentiary for the theft of the automobile, being released from confinement last month. The warrant charging jail breaking issued at the time of the escape, has been held up to give the man a chance to settle down and lead a useful life. He returned to Oneonta about two weeks ago and his conduct since has not been of the most exemplary character so orders were issued a few day ago to arrest him upon sight.

Accordingly he was placed in custody at about 10 o'clock last evening by Officer Cross and pilloed in the city jail to await arraignment this morning before City Judge VanWoert.

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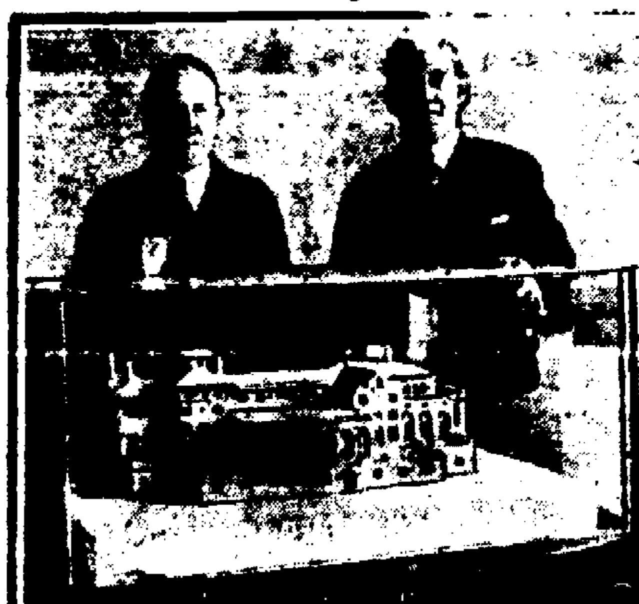

Here is model of the Congressional Country Club, now on exhibition in House of Representatives. Photo shows Speaker Gillett (left) and Representative Albert Vestal, on the committee in charge of the proposed country club.

NORMAL SCHOOL NOTES

Rhetorical Program to be Presented Friday in Auditorium—Basketball Game by Freshmen and Juniors Tomorrow Night—Tea in Kindergarten Room.

On Friday, March 14, the third rhetorical program will be given in the Normal auditorium at 2 o'clock. The program is to be in the nature of a reading contest, the speakers having won their positions on the program through competition with other students who tried out. There will be a committee of award who will choose the speaker who gives the best interpretation of her selection. To that speaker a five dollar gold piece will be presented. The selections to be given have been chosen very carefully and the students are doing splendid work at rehearsals, indicating a very interesting as well as enjoyable program. The program of the afternoon will be printed later and all who are interested in this type of work are cordially invited to attend.

Because the Juniors defeated the Freshmen with a score of 23 to 20 in the third game of the series being played between the two classes, the loving cup is to be presented to the Junior class. The cup will probably be presented during the fore part of next week. Though the three games which have been played determine the ownership of the cup, a fourth one is to be played between the two teams tomorrow night at 7 o'clock. As the Freshmen caused the Juniors to work extra hard for the victory of the last game, the next one promises to be an extremely close one.

With the assistance of the students, Miss Eula Dodd, head of the Domestic Science department, is planning to give a series of teas to which students and other guests are invited. At each the different students are to act as hostesses and helpers. Those students who graduate in April and June are to be the guests at the first teas as they are soon to leave. The first one was given yesterday afternoon and the thirty-five guests who attended found it to be a most enjoyable occasion. The afternoon was spent with games and dancing and when the guests departed they voted Miss Dodd's idea most delightful and generous one.

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OBSEQUIES OF MRS. BIRDSALL

Held from United Presbyterian Church Wednesday Afternoon and Largely Attended — Conducted by Rev. A. R. Skinner.

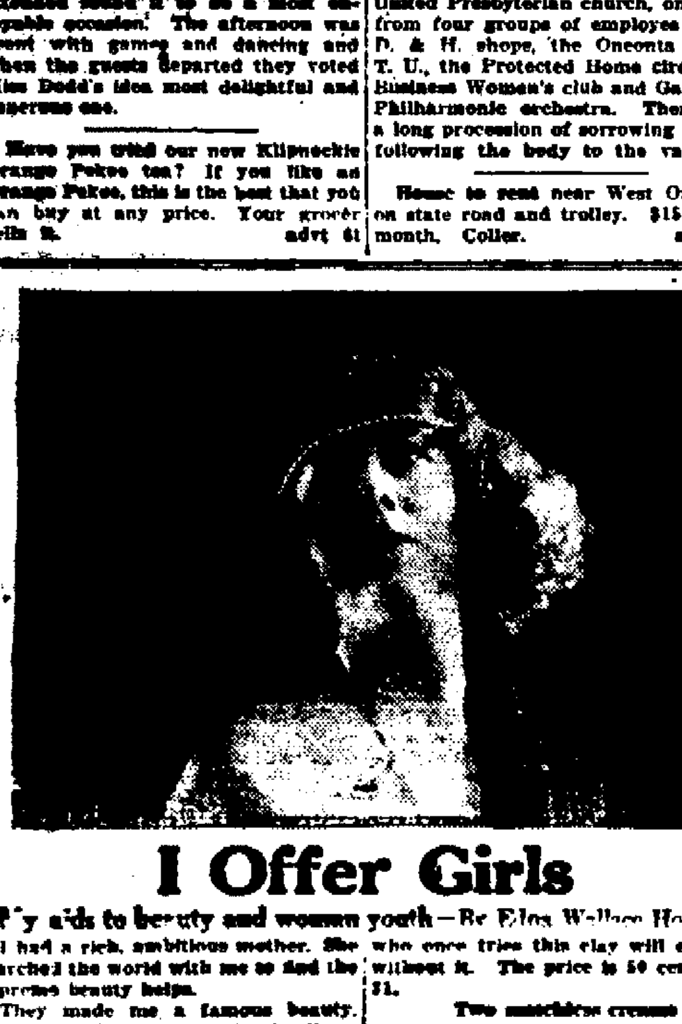
Many were the evidences at the funeral services of the late Mrs. Joseph Birdsall, held from the United Presbyterian church Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, that the church and its members look upon the demise of Mrs. Birdsall as a distinct loss to the church, for said one of its members, "she was really the mother of the boys of our church." The attendance was large and there were few dry eyes throughout all the services. Her pastor, Rev. A. R. Skinner, officiated, and during the brief remarks which he made he paid a tribute to the life and character of Mrs. Birdsall and referred to her self-sacrificing devotion to the church and to all its agencies, and to her interest in all movements for the world's betterment. The prayer was made by Rev. R. F. Irwin of the North Kortright church, a friend of the family. The services were brief and simple in form in accordance with the ideas of the deceased.

The relatives from away in attendance included the following: Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Birdsall and two young daughters, Davenport; Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Birdsall, K. D. Birdsall, Mrs. Ella Elliott, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lewis, of Delhi; Mrs. Ella Clark of Endicott; Mrs. Agnes Scott of Davenport; Mrs. J. K. Hobbie, Miss Lula Hobbie and Frank Hobbie of Johnson City.

The body was placed in the vault at the Plains cemetery for later interment at the convenience of the family. The following were bearers: Charles M. Thompson, Clarence Dunne, Robert Hall, William Hastings, John Parish and Guy Jones.

Floral pieces were numerous, including one from each of the following organizations, in addition to those from the family and personal friends: the Y. W. C. U., the Missionary society and the Sunday school of the United Presbyterian church, one each from four groups of employes at the D. & H. shops, the Oneonta W. C. T. U., the Protected Home circle, the Business Women's club and Gardner's Philharmonic orchestra. There was a long procession of sorrowing friends following the body to the vault.

House to rent near West Oneonta, on state road and trolley. $15.00 per month. Coller. advt 3t



I Offer Girls

My aids to beauty and woman youth—By Edna Wallace Hopper

I had a rich, ambitious mother. She searched the world with me to find the supreme beauty helps.

They made me a famous beauty. And now, after 40 years in the limelight, they keep me a beauty still.

Other girls, in these same ways, can multiply their beauty. Other women can, to old age, keep their youthful bloom. I want to help them do so. The very helps that France gave me are now at your command.

I am very—very busy on the stage. But I am taking time to tell you the secrets of my beauty and my youth. And I hope the time will come when girls and women by the millions will enjoy what I enjoy.

32 Helps in four

I found 32 things that women need to keep them at their best. French experts combined them in four applications. Thus beauty and perennial youth were made very easy for me.

One is my White Youth Clay. Not like the crude and muddy clays so many use today. This clay is white, refined and dainty. Twenty years of scientific study have made it amazingly effective.

I use White Youth Clay to purge my skin of all that clogs or mars it. It [illegible]

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who once tries this clay will ever go without it. The price is 50 cents and $1.

Two matchless creams

My Youth Cream is a cold cream, based on lemon and strawberry. It is made to embody all the best that science knows to whiten, feed, protect and smooth the skin. I use it after the clay. It is also my night cream, to apply on retiring. Daytimes I use it as a powder base. No one ever found a cold cream to compare with my Youth Cream.

My Facial Youth is a liquid cleanser. It contains no animal, no vegetable fat. It cannot assimilate in any way with the skin. But it penetrates the skin to the depths. When I wipe it off, all that clogs the skin comes with it. No other method cleans a skin like this.

Luxuriant hair

My hair is thick and lustrous. It grows finer every year. I have never had falling hair or dandruff, never a touch of gray.

This is due to my Hair Youth, another French creation. I apply it daily with an eye dropper, directly to the scalp. It takes but a moment and it does not muss the hair. I can do no greater kindness than urge you to employ it. It costs 50 cents and $1.

All druggists and toilet counters supply these products which I use. The store is small. Every girl or woman, if she will, can have the benefits I got. Go find them out. My Beauty Book comes with each. Edna Wallace Hopper, 536 Lake Shore Drive, Chicago.

MARRIED FIFTY YEARS

Golden Wedding Anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore A. Smith Observed Last Evening.

Over fifty relatives and friends were present last evening at the observance of the fiftieth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore A. Smith held at their home at 26 Hudson street, the affair proving one of much pleasure for all.

All of the children and many of the grandchildren of the estimable couple were present as well as numerous other relatives, neighbors and friends and the evening was one of joy unalloyed for them as well as for those in whose honor the affair was held. Rev. S. S. Tompkins of the Pentecostal Mission read again the wedding ceremony and Mr. and Mrs. Smith repeated the vows which made them man and wife so many years ago. Congratulation were again bestowed upon them, the proceeding reminding the couple of the original ceremony, as they remarked in brief speeches of thanks for the honors paid them.

Games and music were enjoyed and delicious refreshments were served, featured by a wedding cake, which the bride of fifty years cut. Mr. and Mrs. Smith were made the recipients of many gifts including over one hundred dollars in money.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith were united in marriage on March 12, 1874, at Deposit. The only person, beside the bride and groom, who was present at the original ceremony and who was in attendance last evening was A. H. Demoney of Deposit. Mr. and Mrs. Smith have been residents of Oneonta for the past 18 years. There are four children, Edwin H. Smith of Oneonta, Mrs. Belle Tallmadge of Binghamton, Lewis W. Smith of West Oneonta and Miss Mary Smith, who lives with her father and mother. All of them were present last evening. There are six grandchildren, Ford B. Tallmadge of Flint, Michigan, and Clyde and Irene Smith of Oneonta, and Glenn D. Gardner, Mrs. Gladys Finley and Mrs. Gila Lambert, all of Whitesboro. The three first named were in attendance last evening. There are also two great-grandchildren.

Those from out of the city in attendance were, A. H. Demoney of Deposit, Mrs. Belle Tallmadge of Binghamton, Mr. and Mrs. John Polhemus of Johnson City, Ford and Fanning Hallock of East Durham, and Ford B. Tallmadge of Flint, Michigan. Many others, unable to be present, wrote or wired congratulations.

That the venerable couple may live to enjoy many more wedding anniversaries is the ardent wish of many friends.

NUMBER OF DAYS IN LENT

Correspondents Will Not Let Subject Drop and Want Answer Published.

Editor Oneonta Star: In a recent issue of The Star reference was made to the number of days in Lent, but the question raised was not answered.

Many people are needlessly confused. Each year there are forty days of Lent. Ash Wednesday, which this year fell on March 5th, being the first day, and the Saturday preceding Easter the last day of Lent. There are Sundays in Lent, but not of Lent. In other words, do not count Sundays as a part of Lent, count the week days only.

Respectively yours,
Amasa J. Teed.

The item to which Mr. Teed refers was published on February 28th and on March 4th The Star printed an article on Lent, which, while not specifically referring to the earlier item, stated substantially that Lent continues six full weeks and as Sundays are not counted in the 40 days, these make 36 days, which, added to the four days from Ash Wednesday to the end of the week, gives the duration of Lent, or 40 days. We trust the subject is now clear in the minds of all readers.

Davis-Russell Wedding.

Dean L. Davis of Morris and Miss Ruby B. Russell of Unadilla were married at the First Presbyterian parsonage in Oneonta at 8 o'clock last evening by Rev. Dr. James C. Russell. Mr. and Mrs. Blake H. LeSuer, the latter a sister of the bride, were the attendants, and those present were the immediate relatives of bride and groom. After a short wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Davis will be at home in Morris, where the former has employment as a plumber. Both are respected young people with many friends wherever known.

Officers Elected.

The following officers were elected at the annual meeting of the Young Women's Missionary society of the United Presbyterian church:

President—Alice Seward.
Vice president—Mary Smith.
Secretary—Helen Beers.
Treasurer—Kathryn Hastings.
Pianist—Genevieve Tamsett.

The Employes' Mutual Benefit association of the Southern New York railway will hold their annual dance at Hartwick on Friday evening, March 14. A cordial invitation is extended to all their friends. A special car will leave Oneonta at 8 p. m. and special rates will be given by the railway company.

Round trip fare from Oneonta will be 60 cent; round trip fare from West Oneonta will be 60 cents; round trip fare from Laurens will be 50 cents; round trip fare from Mt. Vision will be 40 cents. Special cars will leave Hartwick in both directions after the dance. By order of the committee. advt 2t

Wanted—Single and double houses in all parts of the city. Now is the time to list your property for the spring business. Buyers waiting. Make your price and terms right for a quick sale. Mrs C. H. Prentice's agency, 9 Pine street. Phone 992. advt 5t

For Sale—Millinery business, grocery store and meat market in this city. Coal and feed business, general store and a fine hotel business on state road in large town near Oneonta. A. C. Lewis, 213 Main street. advt 3t

Consumers are demanding quality. That's why Klipnockie highgrade coffee is so popular now-a-days. Order a pound from your grocer today. advt 6t

Fresh halibut, white fish, trout, salmon, and oysters. Phone your order to F. W. Hempen, 75 Main street. 799. advt 3t

For sale—A good paying business. Will take building lot in part payment. Address X. O., care Star. advt 3t

Personal

G. A. Kelley and Mrs. Ella L. Colwell, have been called to Carbondale, Pa., by the serious illness of their brother.

Mr. and Mrs. William Belfield, who had been in Oneonta since Saturday, returned yesterday to their home in Ballston Spa.

Mr. and Mrs. George Van Wagnen of 549 Main street spent Wednesday as guests at the home of William H. France at Worcester.

Mrs. I. E. Tinklepaugh goes to Albany today to attend the funeral of Mrs. Joseph Scentner, who was formerly Miss Lillian Doyle.

Deuer Harrington and brother, Fred, of Norwich, were called to this city yesterday morning by the serious illness of their father, S. E. Harrington.

Mrs. R. H. Gutelius left yesterday for a brief sojourn in Albany, accompanying Mrs. C. H. Stanton of the latter city, who had been in Oneonta for a few days.

H. W. Harper of Harpersfield, who attended the hearing in Albany on Tuesday on the Delhi Agricultural school and remained over for a day, was in the city last evening on his way home.

Friends in Oneonta will be pleased to learn that Mrs. John D. Capron of Edgewater Park, N. J., who for several days has been suffering from a slight attack of diphtheria, is apparently making a good recovery.

Mrs. Elizabeth Bartlett and Mrs. H. W. Lee leave this morning for Rome, where for a few days they will visit their aunt, Mrs. Mary McKoon and be with her to celebrate the 80th anniversary of her birth on Friday.

Ralph H. Davis, of the Goodell Cigar company at Binghamton and a former grand counsellor of the United Commercial Travelers of New York state, was a guest over night at the Windsor, while in the city calling on the trade.

Mrs. C. S. Roseboom of Westford, who had been in Oneonta for a few days with her nephew, Gordon Holmes, who lately underwent a serious operation for appendicitis at the Parshall hospital, but is now recovering, returned home yesterday.

William C. Barry, who had been spending a nine-days' leave with his wife on Harrison avenue in this city, left yesterday for New York city, whence he sails today on the U. S. battleship Mississippi, to join the naval aviation camp at Culebra, Porto Rico. Mr. Barry is a first-class aviation rigger with the air forces, and had been assigned last fall to the airship Shenandoah, which was to have made the trip to the north pole. Later the trip was deferred and Barry was transferred to Porto Rico.

Library Supper at Milford.

The supper announced for the benefit of the Free library at Milford and for two weeks ago, but postponed owing to the condition of the roads at that time, will be served Friday evening of this week commencing at 5:30 o'clock and continuing until all are served. The ladies promise an excellent supper and hope for a liberal patronage as money is needed to maintain the library and supply added books. The supper will be served in the Methodist church parlors.

House Warming for the Wilsons.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Wilson having just moved into their new home at 88 Maple street, a party of friends, 14 in number from the force at Ronan's store, where Mrs. Wilson is employed, give them a house warming on Monday night. A handsome cut-glass vase was presented, and the earlier evening was spent with cards and other games, after which delicious refreshments were served by the guests.

Supper Well Patronized.

The supper served by the men of the Portlandville Methodist church last evening was well patronized with visitors present from Oneonta, Milford and other nearby places. An excellent roast pig supper was served by the men and every dish was appetizing and enjoyed. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Saxton, Linn L. Gardner and Foster West of this city.

At Danish Lutheran Church.

An invitation is extended to all Danish people in Otsego and Delaware counties to meet in the Danish Lutheran church at Laurens on Friday, March 14, at 1 p. m. The subject will be, "Suggestion."

Charles Hazen Buys Fine Team.

Charles Hazen of Schenevus, while in Oneonta Wednesday, purchased a fine black draft team of H. W. Sheldon.

Dorr McLaury Helped.

In referring to the delegation at Albany on Tuesday endeavoring to secure the retention of the Agricultural school at Delhi, The Star inadvertently omitted the name of Dorr McLaury of Milford, who gave valuable aid to the Delhi school and went to Albany especially to assist in the effort. He has many friends in the capital.

T. W. Clark Visits Old Friends.

Theodore W. Clark of New York, an old Normal graduate, was a caller in Oneonta on Monday and Tuesday. He visited various friends and relatives while in the city. Mr. Clark is a member of the firm of Warren, Killion and Clark, 20 Church street, New York.

JAQUES' CAPSULES for DIZZINESS

Dizziness results from an accumulation of waste products of digestion. Physical welfare depends on ridding the system of these poisons quickly. One of two Jaques' Capsules, with a swallow of water, are highly effective. Aid digestion, carry off waste, break up gas and tone up the entire digestive system. Only 60 cents for 12 days' supply. At all druggists or from JAQUES CAPSULE CO., PLATTSBURG, N. Y.

'Nother One

Investigations are the style these days, so why leave the Shipping Board out? Photo shows Wallace White of Maine, who will head special House committee to look into affairs of the board.

COINS NEW WORD, MYOBIST

When You Mind Your Own Business, You're a Myobist.

James Melvin Lee, director of the department of journalism at New York university, has added a new word to the English language—"myobist."

He introduced at at the Newspaper club last Sunday night when, at his suggestion, a group of Methodist preachers' sons who have become well known in journalism got together for dinner. In a footnote to the "seating list" he wrote:

"I want to call attention to the article in the 'Discipline' that urges everyone to be a 'myobist' in religion."

"What's a myobist'?" demanded Melville E. Stone, long general manager of the Associated Press.

"I took that up with Frank Vizetelly, editor of the Standard dictionary," answered Lee. "I told him it was time for a word describing you when you 'mind your own business,' and he agreed, so 'myobist' came into existence."—The New York World.

Something More!

After meals you want something more—a bit of sweet with a change of flavor. WRIGLEY'S is that "something more" and it's more than that! It is a great aid to your good health, as medical authorities say.

This is from a recent book on health:

"Many physicians now recommend gum chewing .... for a better and more complete change of the starches into dextrin."

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—means that your digestion is aided while your pleasure is served; teeth and digestion both benefit.

Your choice of several flavors, all of the WRIGLEY quality—sealed in its purity package.

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Just how much better in Style, Quality and Value they are will be easily apparent when you see them. They are tailored in a masterful manner from fabrics that lend themselves with unusual grace to the lines of the new models.

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General Stock Men's Suits and Overcoats

Fine assortment of patterns. New Spring styles. Suits you'll be proud to wear. And all priced with a graduate scale up to $60.00.

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Fine tailoring. Best styles. All with Two pair of Pants

Only $30

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All classified advertisements to count as not less than fifteen words and none taken less than 25 cents.

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Put advertisers in touch with more than [illegible] readers daily.

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Call 216 and please state definitely how long you wish advertisements inserted.

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When "blind" advertisements or advertisements not giving name or address appear, these are omitted intentionally and The Star is not allowed to reveal the name. Please do not ask it.

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TO RENT—Three pleasant rooms, large pantry, stationary range, gas, electric lights, bath. Inquire 30 East street. Phone 222-W.

TO RENT — Four-room flat, on second floor. Inquire 197 Chestnut street, or phone 153-W.

TO RENT—Garage. 9 Academy street. Phone 692-J.

WANTED — To rent two unfurnished rooms, with kitchenette, heat and lights. Phone 139-J2.

TO RENT — Furnished or unfurnished house, April 1st. Phone 382-M.

TO RENT—Five-room flat at 75 Gilbert street. Mrs. Pete Carlino.

WHY PAY — Rent when you can buy a small place near village. School, church, plenty of work; good five-room house all ready to move in; fruit, best of water. Only $800, easy terms. F. E. Hunt, Unadilla, N. Y.

WANTED TO RENT—Five-room flat, or small house, centrally located, family of two. Phone 700-J.

FOR RENT—Attractive furnished apartment, all improvements, centrally located, suitable for man and wife or two business or professional women. Inquire at 30 Washington street.

TO RENT — Modern five-room furnished flat. Inquire at 46 Maple street.

TO RENT—Suite of three pleasant, front rooms, fourth floor, Reynolds block. Inquire George Reynolds & Son.

FOR RENT—Flat of five pleasant rooms. Very central. John Parish, 165 Chestnut street.

TO RENT—The Squire farm house, with running water, garden spot and privileges, only 1½ miles from state road, Otego. Man with auto could easily live here and work in Oneonta. Fred A. Squire.

TO RENT — If looking for rooms, any kind phone 823-J. We surely can fix you out right.

TO RENT—Flat, seven rooms and bath; all improvements; $37.50. Call 365-J.

FOR RENT—Two-family house, with improvements, newly decorated throughout, 65 Ford avenue. Inquire 415 Main street.

TO RENT — Furnished flat, 10 minutes from business section, electric lights, bath, range, front entrance. Phone 974-W, before 11 a. m. and after 2 p. m.

FOR RENT MARCH 15—Five-room house, all improvements, just off Ceperley avenue. Inquire 415 Main street.

FOR RENT—Blacksmith shop and tools. E. D. Allen, Laurens, N. Y.

TO RENT—April 1st, six-room heated flat, improvements. Phone [illegible].

TO RENT—Modern seven-room house, at East End. Inquire of Griffin's grocery, 66 Church street. Phone 466.

HOUSE TO RENT — At 7 Susquehanna street.

TO RENT—Garage. Call evenings. 15 East street.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Dandy 11-room house, just off paved street, with all improvements; can be used for two families, good location for shop man, price $4,000. Good seven-room house, with improvements, just off Chestnut street, $4,500. New seven-room bungalo, all improvements, on bus line, $4,500, cash payment $500. Seven-room house in Normal section, with all improvements, $4,500, cash $1,000. Square Deal Agency.

FOR SALE—Five shoats. Vincent B. Fuller, Otego.

FOR SALE—1900 Gravity washing machine, in fine condition. 7 Franklin street. Phone 372-J.

FOR SALE—Men's suit, size 40, and blue serge coat and two trousers, size 36. Reasonable price. Charles Swoboda, 250 Main street.

FOR SALE—Reed go-cart, and kitchen cabinet, cheap. 26 Ceperley avenue.

WE HAVE—A few bargains left in used sewing machines, at the Singer store. Phone 501-J.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Four cylinder Peerless car, suitable for garage service car or farm truck. Good running order. J. C. Halvey, Cooperstown, N. Y.

FOR SALE—Victrola, Singer sewing machine, buffet, bookcase and writing desk combined, kitchen cabinet, bedroom suit and several other articles. Phone 1179-J2, or 37 River street.

FOR SALE—Columbia Grafonola, electric motor and several records at a bargain. Inquire Mrs. J. L. Acton, 66 Church street. Phone 465.

FOR SALE — One 9x12 Brussels rug and one oil heater, nearly new. 27 Reynolds avenue.

PRIVATE SALE—Household furniture, including everything in a five-room flat. 186 Main street, top floor.

FOR SALE—Dining table, sideboard and six chairs, excellent condition. Phone 165-J, [illegible] Elm street.

FOR SALE—Indian motorcycle, with side car, in good running condition, at almost your own price, for cash. Call at 16 Washington street, or phone 1122-W.

FOR SALE—Pigs, five weeks old, at $6.00 each. G. M. Hillas, Davenport, N. Y.

FOR SALE—Eighty Rhode Island Red pullets and ten White Leghorn pullets, $1.50 each. Now laying. John Roberts, 341 Chestnut street. Phone 489-J2.

FOR SALE—Fifty tons of early cut timothy hay. Frank Carver, Garrattsville, N. Y.

FOR SALE—One hundred bushels potatoes, delivered in the city once a week. $1.00 a bushel. Phone 1009-W2.

FOR SALE—One high grade Jersey cow, due to freshen March 15; also two two-year-old heifers, one Holstein, one Jersey, to freshen this spring. J. F. Rowland, South Side, Oneonta. Phone 1009-F4.

SLAB WOOD FOR SALE—$3.00 per cord; also seasoned hard and soft wood. Phone 858, or 540-W2.

FARMS FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Fifty acre farm, on state road, near city, 500 trees, maple grove, good eight-room house, and barn, stanchions for six head. Price, $2,200 with a cash payment of $800. 20 acres, almost in town, wood lot, located on main highway in village, good 10-room house, dandy good barn, with spring water, large new henhouse. This includes nine cows, 3rd team, new auto. Price $5,500 with a cash payment of $2,500. Square Deal Agency.

FARM FOR SALE — Splendid Unadilla River Valley farm; 135 acres, half way between New Berlin and South New Berlin; good buildings, silo, splendid water; will keep 40 cows, teams and young cattle. Will sell with hay and a few tools, no cattle, to a responsible party owning his own cattle and tools without any payment down. Price right. Miner & VanDyke, owners, Sidney, N. Y.

FOR SALE—65-acre farm, on state road, close to large town and high school. Good buildings, running water, 25 fine cows and team. Complete set of farm tools. Owner will trade for city property. Others from [illegible] acres up. A. C. Lewis, 315 Main street.

FOR SALE—160 acre farm, located only one-half mile from improved road, substantial and commodious buildings, running water, lots of fruit and fuel, 34 splendid large type Holstein cows, two horses, all farm machinery, hay and silage, farm in perfect tillage and very productive, price $9,000. 230 acre farm, located on trunk line, state macadam road, short distance from this city, large substantial buildings in good repair, finest running water at all buildings, 23 superior Holstein cows, one bull, two young horses, all hay and silage, farm machinery and tools. This dairy has no superior in this county; has been carefully selected for big production. Price $14,000. 90 acre farm, located on main trunk line, macadam state road, 20 minutes from this city, two dwellings, two barns, 40 acres of rich bottom land, 20 acres timber, price $7,500. 300 acres magnificent dairy farm, located 20 minutes walk from this city, large commodious buildings, 120 acres of rich bottom land, best land on earth, price $18,000, cash $500. Four-acre truck and poultry farm, located on state road, near this city, suitable for market gardening, poultry and finest location for state road stand, price $2,000, cash $500. Campbell Bros.

FOR SALE—160-acre modern dairy farm, near grade A plant, fine buildings, running water, very productive land; 40 head of large Holstein cattle, part of which are pure bred; two horses, all machinery and crops. Price $12,000, cash $3,000. Campbell Bros.

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FOR SALE—Single Comb White Leghorn chicks. After May 15, at reduced prices. Denmox Poultry farm. H. E. Denny, Jefferson, N. Y., R. D. 3.

FOR SALE — Hartwick Better Quality chicks, S. C. W. Leghorns, B. Rocks, R. I. Reds and White Wyandottes, all bred from carefully selected stock and mated to certified males. Our first batch Monday, March 24th, and each Monday thereafter during season. Write or phone. Bell phone 14-W. New Lisbon phone.

FRESH EGGS—For sale, 30c per dozen. J. Beang, 4 Fairview street.

FOR SALE—300 S. C. White Leghorn pullets, from certified roosters, laying good, price $1.25 each. Hugh Southern, Morris, N. Y.

FOR SALE—22 Barred Rock pullets and four cockerels (Thompson Strain); also three Cyphers incubators and one Buckeye portable hover. Virgil Smith, South Side.

FOR SALE—Rayo 100-egg incubator. E. M. Miller, 15 Morgan avenue.

FOR SALE — New 52-inch canopy oil brooder. H. R. France, 4 Moffatt street. Phone 767-W2.

FOR SALE—Hatching eggs, B. J. Giants, $1.50 per setting. R. B. Safford, Maryland, N. Y.

INCUBATOR EGGS—$5.00 hundred. Hens, [illegible] flock. J. J. Waters, Sidney, New York.

FOR SALE—Buff orpington hatching eggs from large healthy hens and sired by 10-lb. roosters. Hens are heavy winter layers, $1.75 per setting (15). A. C. Kindas, West Kortright, N. Y.

FOR SALE—Jersey Black Giants hatching eggs, from large, well grown birds. Roosters weight 13 lbs., hens 10 and 11 lbs., $2.00 per setting of (15). A. C. Kindas, West Kortright, N. Y.

FOR SALE—Light Brahmas hatching eggs from 10-lb. hens and 12-lb. roosters, hens are excellent winter layers, $2.00 per setting (15). A. C. Kindas, West Kortright, N. Y.

CHICKS FOR SALE—Hatched from two-year-old selected hens, mated to certified males, March 7-14-21. Special prices. J. H. McClelland, Stamford, N. Y.

BABY CHICKS — In-Gold Strain Single Comb White Leghorns for April and May delivery. Now booking orders. L. E. Ingalsby, Hartwick Seminary, N. Y.

FOR SALE—S. C. White Leghorn baby chicks, after March 25. Write or phone 3-F226, Denmox Poultry Farm. H. E. Denny, Jefferson, N. Y.

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HOTEL WILSON—Offers rooms by the day or week. With or without meals. All home cooking.

FOR RENT — Pleasant furnished room, heated, bath and electric lights. Inquire 10 Washington street.

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TO RENT—Furnished rooms, for light housekeeping, all improvements. Phone 74-R, or call at 75 Maple street.

TO RENT—Furnished room, for one or two. 87 Chestnut street.

TO RENT—Four furnished rooms for housekeeping, with improvements. No children. 18 Academy street.

TO RENT—Room with board. Inquire 9 Elm street, Mrs. Mary Fancher.

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TWO FURNISHED ROOMS — For light housekeeping, with hot and cold water and electric lights. Call at 9 Fairview street, or phone 356-W, afternoons.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Tire and tire holder and number plate, between Wells Bridge and Oneonta. Finder please notify H. C. Seaman, Wells Bridge.

STRAYED — From my premises, fox hound, spotted, black, white and tan. Finder notify E. F. Newell, Davenport, N. Y.

LOST—License plate, No. 167-894, between Oneonta and Davenport. Notify Samuel Stewart, Davenport.

LOST—Grey leather hand bag on Dietz street or between Walnut and Ford avenue. Reward if returned to Star office.

BOARDERS WANTED

WANTED — Boarders and roomers, all modern improvements, with privilege of bathroom. Handy for railroad men. 7 Baker street.

HELP WANTED

WANTED—Young woman, some business experience, to look after office detail and attend to phone. Call Kessler Plumbing company, 42 Chestnut street.

GIRL WANTED—Place in private family. Address Standard, New York, box 28.

WANTED—Man to live in tenant house in village and work on farm. Box 208, Hobart, N. Y.

WANTED—Young man, 18 years of age, as grocery clerk. Apply at A. & P. Tea company, 4 Dietz street.

WANTED — General carpenter and contracting work. F. J. Shaver, Wilson house.

WANTED—Maid for second work, no cooking. Apply Mrs. L. P. Butts, 61 Elm street.

WANTED—Dining room girl and chambermaid combined. Inquire Wilson house.

HOUSEKEEPER WANTED—By widowed farmer with small adult family. Apply Saturday, March 15, from 11 a. m. to 2 p. m., to Mr. Liddle at Wilson house.

EXPERIENCED GIRL WANTS — Housework in small family. No washing. Mary Sarnoful, Kortright, care Ira Chubb.

MEN AND WOMEN—Make large profits selling Rawleigh's Good Health Products and Household Necessities. No experience necessary. Largest company, teaches you the most successful methods and gives most help and cooperation. Give age, occupation, references. W. T. Rawleigh Co., Ct. 262, Freeport, Ill.

WANTED—Single man to drive team on farm and lumber job; steady work. Kenneth Swartout, Milford, R. D. 1.

WANTED — Married man to work on poultry farm one mile and a half from Hobart. House, fuel, potatoes and milk furnished. No milking. References required. Rich Poultry Farm, Hobart, New York.

WANTED—Married man for general farm work, house, wood and milk, etc., furnished. State wages wanted. Apply Harold J. Reeves, Otego.

WANTED—Men for United States Army. For information and particulars apply Recruiting station, post office, Oneonta.

WORK WANTED

WASHINGS WANTED—At 7 Susquehanna street, upstairs. Call or write. Will call for and deliver.

HEMSTITCHING AND PICOTING—Done for eight cents per yard, cotton or silk. No threads furnished. Mail orders filled. Mrs. L. P. Shaul, Hartwick.

WANTED—Painting and paper hanging. H. R. Conklin, Wilson house.

DITCH DIGGING — Or any kind of work. 9 South Main street, upstairs. William Rownes.

WORK WANTED — House cleaning, or work by the day in private family, by a good reliable woman. Phone 508-J2.

R. D. CARR,—11½ Washington street, A. C. Foote, 97 Elm street, and A. Kregger, Gilbert street, carpenters and builders. Your patronage solicited.

LACE CURTAINS LAUNDERED—92 Center street. L. Kenyon, 1024-W2.

TRUCK GOING EMPTY — To New Haven, Conn., last of March, by way of New York or any other way. Phone 509-J. Louis Thayer, 12½ Cliff street.

LACE CURTAINS LAUNDERED — At 9 Center street. Phone 867-J2.

WANTED—Blacksmith work, specially of automobile springs, repairing and setting. Inquire Kelly's garage, River street.

DRESSMAKING—Ladies' and children's dresses and plain sewing. Call 46 West street.

WANTED—Sewing out by the hour. Phone 752-W.

MOVING AND TRUCKING — Long and short hauls, reasonable prices. Louis Thayer, 12½ Cliff street, phone 509-J.

PHONOGRAPH REPAIRING—And cleaning work guaranteed or no charge for call. Phone 924-W2.

HAVING TAKEN — Over the trucking business formerly conducted by M. Hamm and son, I am prepared to do all work in that line, long or short hauls with two-ton truck. Clyde Hamm, 229 Main street. Phone 722-R, or 640-W.

NOTICE—Col. Walter Scott told Judge Kellogg that he saw Washington McLaury [illegible] smith Munson told Dr. Allen that Post Master Packer said he saw Ticket Agent Burdick, and he said that Prof. McLaury told Miller Delong when he saw Charlie Peck, that Fairchild's was the place to get your shoes tapped and heeled in Portlandville.

DRESSMAKING—Ladies' and children's dresses and coats; embroidery; reasonable prices. 39 London avenue. Phone 605-R2.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Modern house. Price right. Inquire J. L. Acton, 66 Church street. Phone 488.

FOR SALE—Seven-room house, all modern improvements. 12 Nearwa place.

HOUSE AND LOT—In village of Morris, for sale. Also Buick seven-passenger touring car. Earle Southern, Morris, N. Y.

FOR SALE—Fine house, all modern improvements, central. Address H, care Star.

HOUSES FOR SALE—Two-family, toilets, convenient for railroad man, $5,000; two-family, electricity, toilets, convenient for railroad man, $4,100; two-family, all improvements, double garage, Chestnut street, $6,500; three-family, improvements, renting $70 monthly, $6,500; seven rooms and bath, nearly new, all improvements, near Chestnut street school, $4,500; eight rooms and bath, all improvements, double garage, central, $6,500; seven rooms and bath, all improvements, double garage, large lot, central, $7,000; large rooming house, near Normal, to exchange for small house; nearly new house, all improvements, East End, $4,500; extra fine new house, all improvements, garage, Chestnut street, West End. Charles Murdock, 7 Ford avenue, Oneonta.

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—To loan $7,000, on valuable real estate, located on state road, worth twice that sum; 168 acres, 12 in orchard, 10 in alfalfa, first class buildings, house has all modern improvements. Address at once, "E. B.," care Star.

WANTED—A number of second hand oil stoves and ovens. Dean, Chestnut street. Phone 50.

WANTED — To borrow money on first mortgage. Inquire Money, care Star.

WANTED—Potatoes to fill a car at West Oneonta. L. F. Rowinson. Phone 15-F22.

OLD NEWSPAPERS WANTED—Quality Silk Mills, Market street.

HOUSES WANTED—In all parts of the city. Have your property placed on our list. We are continually receiving calls for city property. Phone and we will call and list your property. Phone 649-W. Square Deal agency.

CHARLES A. CARPENTER — Graduate corsetiere, Berclay corsets. 130 Main street, over Reynold's Shoe store. Phone 801-W.

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Prominent fat that comes and stays where it is not needed is a burden, a hindrance to activity, a curb upon pleasure. You can take off the fat where it shows by taking after each meal and at bedtime, one Marmola Prescription Tablet. These little tablets are as effective and harmless as the famous prescription from which they take their name. Buy and try a box today. All druggists the world over sell them at one dollar for a box or you can order them direct from the Marmola Co., 4612 Woodward Av., Detroit, Mich. You can thus say good-bye to dieting, exercise and fat. Advt.

ANOTHER QUIET DAY IN MARKET

Neither Bulls Nor Bears Able or Willing to Break Prices Out of Narrow Range

Brief Stock Review.

Total stock sales, 576,200 shares.

Twenty industrials averaged 97.81; net loss, .09.

High, 1924, 101.24; low, 94.88.

Twenty railroads averaged 83.83; net gain, .12.

High, 1924, 86.90; low, 82.74.

Brief Bond Review.

Total bond sales, par value, $7,771,000.

Ten first grade rails averaged 85.51; net gain, .05.

Ten secondary rails averaged 83.76; net loss, .08.

Ten public utilities averaged 86.93; net gain, .03.

Ten industrials averaged 93.51; net loss, .02.

Combined average 87.[illegible]; net gain, .01.

Combined average month ago, 87.59; year ago, 86.79.

New York, Mar. 12. — Desultory trading again characterized today's stock market, neither bear nor bull operators apparently being able or willing to break prices out of the narrow area in which they have been floundering for nearly a month. Lack of a definite trend is generally attributed to the indisposition of professional traders to extend their commitments until after the March 15 tax payments have been disposed of.

Heavy buying of the railroad shares based on a continuation of record breaking car loadings, and speculative expectation of favorable February earnings statements, and an inauguration of dividends on Southern Railway common tomorrow imparted a firm tone to the early dealings. Announcement later in the day that the directors of Norfolk and Western had not considered the leasing of that road to the Pennsylvania at today's meeting, encouraged a resumption of their selling, which gave closing prices a reactionary appearance. Net losses in the active issues, however, were held to a point or less.

Southern Railway and Norfolk and Western were the features of the railroad group, establishing new 1924 highs at 53½ and 121⅝, respectively. In the late selling, Southern sold down to 51¾, where it was up one point on the day and Norfolk and Western closed at 118⅜, a net loss of five-eighths. Some of the other strong spots in that group included the Erie issues, Seaboard Air Line preferred, and New Orleans, Texas and Mexico.

Chain stores stocks again attracted attention when Woolworth established a record high for all time at 331. No sales of Kresge have taken place this week, but the announcement that the company has taken over a large department store in Washington, D. C., boosted the quotation to 330 bid and 360 asked. Loose [illegible] half points to 61 in response to the recent payment of accumulated dividends on the preferred.

Studebaker closed a point lower at 101½ and U. S. Steel common, Baldwin and American Can sustained fractional losses. A sharp run up in American Sugar Refining, which touched 54, or two points above yesterday's low, indicated that Wall Street had overdiscounted the poor 1923 earnings report, which was published today. Cuba Dominion Sugar preferred advanced two points and the other sugars held steady.

French republic and municipal bonds moved up briskly in today's trading, which after an early display of strength turned dull.

Prices of railroad issues churned about considerably during the day. Norfolk and Western convertible 6s, after touching a new high price, lost one and one-fourth points after it was announced that directors had failed to consider a lease to the Pennsylvania railroad. Seaboard issues and local traction liens were conspicuously strong.

Over-subscription of the local quota of the $400,000,000 treasury offering failed to help the U. S. government issues, which continued heavy.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Air Red	77	77	76½	76½
Al Chem	68⅞	68⅞	68⅜	68⅞
Am Bosch	34⅞	34⅞	34⅜	34⅜
Am B Sug	41½	41½	41½	41½
Am Rad	100	101	100	100½
Am Ag Ch	10⅞	11	10⅞	11
Am Can	115½	115⅞	114	114½
Am Ice	92⅞	92½	92¼	92¼
Am Int	21½	22½	21½	22⅜
Am Loco	75⅞	75⅞	75½	75⅞
Am Met	43⅜	43⅝	43⅜	43⅜
Am St Rs	6⅜	6⅞	6⅜	6⅜
Am St F	38½	38½	38½	38½
Am Smtg	60⅞	60⅞	60⅞	60⅞
Am Sug	53	54	52½	53⅜
Am Sum	19½	19½	19⅜	19
Am T and T	130⅞	130⅞	130⅞	130⅞
Am Tob	149	149	149	149
Am Wool	75	75½	74	74½
Anaconda	34½	34½	34	34
Atchison	98⅞	99	98⅞	98⅞
AG and WI	16½	17	16⅜	16⅞
Asso D G	99½	100⅞	99	99
Asso Oil	22	22½	22	22
Bald Loco	122⅞	122⅞	121⅞	122⅞
B and O	56⅜	56½	56⅜	56½
Barnt A	17½	17½	17½	17½
Beth Stl	56½	56½	56½	56½
Bchnut	51⅞	51⅞	51⅞	51⅞
Brk Edm	110⅞	110⅞	110⅜	110⅞
Burns Br B	23½	23⅞	23½	23⅞
Butte and S	16⅞	16⅞	16⅞	16⅞
Ches and O	72	73⅞	72	72⅞
Cal Pet	25½	25½	24⅞	24⅞
Can Pac	144½	144½	144½	144½
C de Pasco	46½	46½	46⅞	46½
Cent Leath	13⅜	13½	13⅜	13½
do pfd	32⅜	33⅜	32⅞	32⅞
CM and St P	15	15½	14½	14⅞
do pfd	25⅞	25⅞	25	25
Chan Mo	60½	60⅞	60	60
Chino	16½	16½	16½	16½
Chile	27	27½	27	27½
Chic N W	50⅞	50⅞	50⅞	50⅞
Coca Cola	66½	66⅞	66	66⅞
Col Fuel	31⅞	32⅞	31	32
Con Can	50	50	49⅞	49⅞
Con Tex	6½	6½	6	6
Cosden	36	36	35½	35½
Col Gas	34⅞	34⅞	33⅞	33⅞
Con Gas	63	63⅞	63	63
Crucible	64½	64½	64	64½
Corn Pro	175½	177⅞	175⅞	177⅞
Crus St	63⅞	63	63	63
Cuba C Sug	15⅞	15⅞	15⅞	15⅞
do pfd	60	60⅞	60	60
Cuba A Sug	36	36⅞	36⅞	36⅞
Sar Cham	33½	33⅞	32⅞	32⅞
D and H	107	107⅞	107	107⅞
D L and W	117½	117½	116⅞	116⅞
Du Pont	130⅞	131⅞	130⅞	131
East Kdk	110	110	110	110
Elec Stor	61½	61⅞	61	61½
End John	63	63	63	63
Corn P wl	35½	35½	35½	35½
Fish Bod	208	209½	207⅞	209½
Erie	25	26	25	25⅞
do 1st pfd	30⅞	31⅞	30⅞	31⅜
Fam Play	69⅞	70½	69	69½
Fleisch	48	48⅞	48	48⅞
Fisk Tire	8½	8½	8½	8½
Free Tex	10	10	10	10
Gen Elec	213½	214	212	212
Gen Mot	15½	15½	15	15
Goodrich	21⅞	22	21⅞	22⅞
Gt Nor pfd	56½	57	56½	57
do ore ct	29⅞	29⅞	29⅞	29⅞
Gen Asph	40½	42½	40½	42½
Gulf S St	81½	82½	81½	81½
Houst Oil	71⅞	71⅞	71⅞	71⅞
Hupp Mot	16⅞	16⅞	16⅞	16⅞
Hud Mot	29½	29⅞	29	29½
Hide L pfd	55⅞	56½	55⅞	55½
Int Har	84½	84½	84½	84½
Int Comb	25½	25⅞	24⅞	24⅞
Ins Cop	24½	24½	24⅞	24⅞
Int B M	94½	94½	94½	94½
Int Pap	38⅞	39½	38⅞	39⅞
Int Rap Tr	18½	18½	18	18½
I M M pfd	30½	30⅞	29⅞	29⅞
Invincl	14½	15⅞	14⅞	14⅞
Int Nick	13½	13½	13	13½
Kan City S	18½	18⅞	18½	18⅞
Kelly S T	22⅞	23½	22½	22½
Kenn Cop	35⅞	36	35⅞	36
Lud St	22½	22⅞	22½	22⅞
Lehigh V	69½	69½	69	69
Lima Loco	65⅞	65⅞	65½	65⅞
Loews Inc	17½	17⅞	17½	17⅞
Louis & N	89⅞	89⅞	89⅞	89⅞
Mallison	24	24½	24	24½
May D S	91½	93	91½	93
Mack Tr	86⅞	87⅞	86⅞	86⅞
Marland O	38	38½	37½	37½
Maxwell A	53	53½	52	53½
Marac Oil	31½	31⅞	30½	30⅞
Mex Sea	19⅞	19½	19	19½
Miami	22	22	22	22
Mo K Tex	11½	11½	11½	11½
Mo Pac	11½	11½	11⅞	11⅞
do pfd	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Moon Mot	25⅞	25⅞	25½	25½
Mont Ward	26⅞	26⅞	26½	26½
M S Oil	4½	5	4⅞	4⅞
Nat Enam	33⅞	33⅞	33⅞	33⅞
Nat Lead	138	139	138½	138½
N Y Cent	100½	100⅞	100½	100½
NY & NH	19½	19⅞	19½	19½
Nev Con	13	13	13	13
Norf & W	120½	121⅞	117⅞	118⅞
North Am	23½	23⅞	23½	23⅞
North Pac	53	53	52½	52⅞
Ont West	16⅞	17	16⅞	17
Owen Bot	44½	44½	44½	44½
Pac Oil	52½	52½	51⅞	52
P A Sug	65½	65½	65	65½
Pack Mot	11⅞	11⅞	11½	11½
Pan Am Pet	49⅞	50⅞	49⅞	49⅞
Pan Am B	46⅞	48	46⅞	46⅞
Mother Lod	8½	8½	8½	8½
Post Cer	51½	51½	51½	51½
Penn	43½	43⅞	43½	43⅞
Penn Stl	2⅞	3	2½	2⅞
Peo Gas	95	95	95	95
Pere Mar	42⅞	43	42⅞	42⅞
P Morris	18½	18½	18½	18½
Phps Ptr	40⅞	41½	40⅞	40⅞
Pitt Coal	62	62⅞	62	62⅞
Pitt W V	42⅞	43⅞	42½	42⅞
Port Sug	94½	94½	93	93½
Prd Rfg	35	35½	34⅞	34⅞
Pub Sv N J	44½	44½	44	44
Pullman	118⅞	119	118⅞	119
Pure Oil	24½	24⅞	24½	24⅞
Rap Tr	15½	15⅞	15	15
Ray Con	10½	10½	10	10
Reading	55⅞	55⅞	55½	55½
Rep I S	55½	55½	55	55
Rplgle	10⅞	10⅞	10½	10½
Rey Tob B	69	69	69	69
Rock Is	22	23½	22	23½
Ry Dh N Y	53½	53½	53½	53½
Sears Roe	90½	90½	89⅞	89⅞
Shl Un Oil	18⅞	19	18⅞	18⅞
Sinc Oil	23½	23⅞	23½	23½
Skelly Oil	24⅞	24½	24⅞	24⅞
So Pac	86⅞	86⅞	86½	86½
So Rwy	50⅞	52½	50⅞	51½
S O Cal	62½	62½	62½	62⅞
S Oil N J	39	39⅞	39	39⅞
Sloss S	61½	61½	61½	61½
Stew War	90⅞	90⅞	89⅞	89⅞
Studbkr	101½	101½	100	100½
St L Sa Fr	23	23⅞	23	23
St L Swst	28	28½	27½	27½
do pfd	61	61⅞	61	61⅞
Sub Boat	8	9	8⅞	8⅞
Texas Co	42½	42⅞	41	42½
Tex Coal	10⅞	11⅞	10½	11⅞
Tex Gulf S	60⅞	61⅞	60⅞	61
Tex Pac	26½	26⅞	26½	26⅞
Tob Prod	62⅞	63⅞	62½	62⅞
Tob Prod a	88⅞	88⅞	88½	88⅞
Timken	38½	38½	38½	38⅞
Trans Oil	4½	4½	4½	4½
Un Ray pfd	31½	31½	29½	29½
U S C I P	75½	77⅞	74	76
U S Rky	100½	100⅞	100	100½
U S I Alco	76½	76½	75	75½
U S Rub	35	35½	34⅞	34⅞
U S Steel	102⅞	102⅞	101⅞	101⅞
Utah Cop	66	66	65⅞	65⅞
Utah Sec	24½	24⅞	24	24½
Va Chem	12	12	12	12
V Viva	10⅞	10⅞	10⅞	10⅞
Wabash	14⅞	14⅞	14⅞	14⅞
do pfd a	43⅞	44½	43⅞	43⅞
Wald Sys	15	15	15	15
Westhse	62⅞	62⅞	62⅞	62⅞
West Un	109⅞	109⅞	108⅞	108½
West Mar	9⅞	9⅞	9⅞	9⅞
White Mo	53	53	52	53
Willys-O	11⅞	12	11⅞	11⅞
Wolwrth	330	331	329	329½
Wool A B	94½	94½	93½	93½

Sheik

Chicherin, minister of foreign affairs of Soviet Russia, is probably the first "non-believer" ever crowned with a Moslem turban. Mohammedans thus honored him recently.

New York Produce.

Butter — Steady; receipts, 3,756; creamery, higher than extras, 49@49½; creamery, extras, 92 score, 48½@49; do, firsts, 88 to 91 score, 46½@48; state dairy, finest, 47½@48; Pacific stock, current make, No. 1, 39.

Eggs—Steady; receipts 26,904; fresh gathered, extra firsts, 26@27; do, firsts, 25½@26; do, seconds, 24½@25; New Jersey and other hennery whites, closely selected, extras, 34@36; state, nearby and nearby western hennery whites, firsts to extras, 27@34; nearby hennery browns, extras, 30@31; refrigerator best, 20@21.

Cheese — Steady; receipts, 81,644 pounds; state, whole milk, flats, fresh fancy, 21½@22; do, average run, 20½@21; state whole milk, flats, held, fancy to fancy specials, 24½@26; do, average run, 24@24½.

New York Poultry.

Live poultry — Steady; no freight quotations; express chickens, 25@35; broilers, 45@60; fowls, 25@27; roosters, 15; turkeys, 30@36.

Dressed poultry — Firm; chickens, 22@43; fowls, 21@31; old roosters, 18@24; turkeys, 28@36.

New York Meats.

Cattle — Receipts, 410; steady; steers, $8.50@10.75; state bulls, $3@5.50; cows, $7.

Calves — Steady; receipts, 7,160; veals, $14.50@15; culls and little calves, $4.50@8.75; buttermilks, $6@7.

Sheep and lambs — Receipts, 3,170; steady; sheep, $4@8.50; culls, $2.50@3.50; lambs, $9@17.25; culls, $8.50@11.

Hogs—Receipts, 1,790; steady; light to medium weights, $8.10@8.40; pigs, $7.70@7.90; heavy hogs, $7.60@7.75; roughs, $6.75@7.50.

Chicago Grain.

	Open	High	Low	Close
WHEAT—				
May	109⅞	109⅞	106⅞	106⅞
July	109⅞	110	106⅞	107½
CORN—				
May	81½	81⅞	79⅞	80⅞
July	81⅞	81⅞	80⅞	80⅞
OATS—				
May	47½	47½	45⅞	46½
July	45⅞	45½	44½	44⅞

ONEONTA MARKETS.

Grain and Feed at Retail.

Wheat bran	$1.87
Buckwheat, cwt.	$2.75
Oats, per bu.	.69
Ground oats	$2.15
Poultry grains	$2.46
Gluten feed	$2.42
Corn meal, cwt.	$2.00
Cracked corn, cwt.	$2.00
Corn, per bu., old	$1.09
Table meal	$4.50
Cotton seed meal	$2.71
Corn and oats	$2.09

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK—By the Grace of God Free and Independent—To Emory S. Judd, 390 Arnold street, New Bedford, Mass.; Charles H. Judd, 1300 N. Washington avenue, Scranton, Pa.; Flora Chase, Roslyn, Pa.; Mary, or Marie, Chase, sister, if living, whose place of residence and post office address is unknown and cannot with reasonable diligence be ascertained by petitioner, and if she be dead, then to her husband, heirs at law, next of kin or legal representative, whose names, places of residence and post office addresses are unknown and cannot with reasonable diligence be ascertained; and

To any and all heirs at law and next of kin of Albert Judd, late of the City of Oneonta, Otsego County, New York, deceased, not hereinbefore named and whose names, places of residence and post office addresses are unknown and cannot with reasonable diligence be ascertained by petitioner; and if any of the hereinbefore mentioned persons be dead, then to their heirs at law, next of kin or legal representatives, husbands and widows, whose names, places of residence and post office addresses are unknown and cannot with reasonable diligence be ascertained:

Upon the petition of Bele Cooper Judd, of Oneonta, N. Y., proponent, you are hereby cited to show cause before the Surrogate's Court of Otsego county at the Surrogate's chambers in the City of Oneonta, in said county on the 28th day of April, 1924, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, why a decree should not be granted admitting to probate a certain instrument in writing as the Last Will and Testament of Albert Judd, late of the City of Oneonta, said county, deceased, as a valid will of real and personal property; and also to show cause why Letters Testamentary should not issue thereon.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused the seal of our said Surrogate's Court to be hereunto affixed.

WITNESS HON. SHELDON H. CLOSE, Surrogate of the County of Otsego, at the Surrogate's office, in Cooperstown, N. Y., this 4th day of March, 1924.

(L. S.) SHELDON H. CLOSE, Surrogate.

GEORGE L. GIBBS, Attorney for Petitioner. Office and P. O. Address, Oneonta, N. Y.

NEW GERMAN OIL SOLD UNDER WRITTEN GUARANTEE RUBS OUT RHEUMATISM

A remarkable new discovery of German chemistry, called Bubler Oil, for the relief of rheumatism, gout and neuralgia, is astonishing the medical world. This marvelous oil seems to kill rheumatic pains just as effectively as those other German pain killers—Novocain for painless dentistry and aspirin for headache pains.

Rheumatism in very many cases is due to internal abscesses (such as a blind pus pocket in a tooth) which give off poisons, and which are carried in the blood to the joints and muscles. Bubler Oil when applied to the affected parts, seems to quickly penetrate and be absorbed by the body tissue. Even in the most severe and stubborn cases almost instant relief has been obtained.

So remarkable have been the results from the use of Bubler Oil that the American distributors have authorized local druggists to dispense it to rheumatic, gout and neuralgia sufferers in this city with a positive written guarantee to return the full purchase price of the first bottle if it does not bring wonderful relief. All sufferers should promptly take advantage of this guarantee. For sale at: Brinkman & Shippey, Henry H. Gildersleeve, Dirksen Bros., George R. Slade, Ralph McCune. Advt.

SOUTHERN NEW YORK RAILWAY

Cars run due to leave Oneonta from Windsor Hotel block, for Herkimer, New York Central and New York State Railways connections to Utica as follows:

NORTHBOUND

Leave Oneonta	Arrive Herkimer	Arrive Utica
9:30 a. m.	11:35 a. m.	12:30 m.
12:30 m.	2:35 p. m.	3:20 p. m.
2:30 p. m.	5:35 p. m.	6:20 p. m.
5:30 p. m.	8:35 p. m.	9:20 p. m.

Trains leave Oneonta for Laurens at 5:30 a. m. daily except Sunday.

Trains leave Oneonta daily for Herkimer and intermediate stations at 11:30 p. m.

SOUTHBOUND

Leave Utica	Leave Herkimer	Arrive Oneonta
7:30 a. m.	7:35 a. m.	10:30 a. m.
9:30 a. m.	10:35 a. m.	1:30 p. m.
12:30 m.	1:35 p. m.	4:30 p. m.
3:30 p. m.	3:35 p. m.	6:30 p. m.
7:30 p. m.	8:35 p. m.	11:30 p. m.

Trains leave Laurens for Oneonta at 6:30 a. m. daily except Sunday.

Trains leaving Oneonta at [illegible] and Herkimer at 7:30 a. m. do not carry baggage, express or freight [illegible].

* Daily except Sunday. [illegible] Herkimer and Oneonta only on Sunday.

Time Table

Ulster & Delaware R. R.

Effective Oct. 21, 1923.

Trains are due to leave Oneonta as follows:

7:30 a. m., except Sunday; 3:05 p. m., daily.

Trains are due to arrive as follows: 11:30 a. m., daily; 8:05 p. m., except Sunday.

Central New York Bus Lines

Time Table

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Three Minute Stop at Milford on all Trips. Buses Stop Anywhere on Signal.

For Rates on Special Trips Apply to Driver.

Phone [illegible], Cooperstown.

Is Your Hair Falling Out?

We absolutely guarantee to stop falling hair, dandruff, and itching scalp within 30 days or refund your money.

After neglecting the matter of hair ailments for years the scientific world at last decided to give it attention. European and American specialists joined hands to find the remedy.

They first discovered that falling hair is replaced by new hair growth and that when such new growth does not occur, it is due to stagnation of the hair beds—but the hair beds are alive, not dead. With this knowledge the scientists made extensive research until at last, after months of tireless effort, they found a new ingredient that had the peculiar property of penetrating to these hair beds—and there stimulating new hair growth. This new ingredient kills harmful germ life, dissolves dandruff and dead tissue, cleans out the plugged up follicles, and regulates fat glands and the blood circulation in the scalp.

Thousands of people have already benefited from this latest achievement of scientific research. You owe it to yourself to begin the treatment today. Remember, we absolutely guarantee to satisfy you in 30 days or refund your money. You risk nothing. Ask for Stim Scalp Treatment Guaranteed by the Sanitas company, Stat. W, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Obtainable at Slade's Drug Store, 138 Main street. City Drug Store, 215 Main street.

TYPEWRITERS $40 and Up

Loose Leaf Ledgers $3.00 and up.

Filing Equipment.

GOLDTHWAITE'S

Main and Broad Streets

Cured His Rupture

I was badly ruptured while lifting a trunk several years ago. Doctors said my only hope of cure was an operation. Trusses did me no good. Finally I got hold of something that quickly and completely cured me. Years have passed and the rupture has never returned, although I am doing hard work as a carpenter. There was no operation, no lost time, no trouble. I have nothing to sell, but will give full information about how you may find a complete cure without operation, if you write to me, Eugene M. Pullen, Carpenter, 632K Marcellus Avenue, Manasquan, N. J. Better cut out this notice and show it to any others who are ruptured—you may save a life or at least stop the misery of rupture and the worry and danger of an operation.

FOR COAL PHONE 852

Oneonta Coal & Supply Co.

Crank Case Service

Let us drain and refill your motor — any make — with best quality oil. No charge for labor.

EDWARDS CADILLAC SERVICE

330 MAIN STREET

Franklin Service Garage

421 Main Street Phone [illegible]

DRINK OTSEGO COFFEE

I. J. Bookhout

FUNERAL DIRECTOR

LADY ASSISTANT

DAY AND NIGHT CALLS

Phone 380-J. Offices 22 Broad St.

D. C. GRIGGS

CHIROPRACTOR

[illegible] Main St. Phone [illegible]

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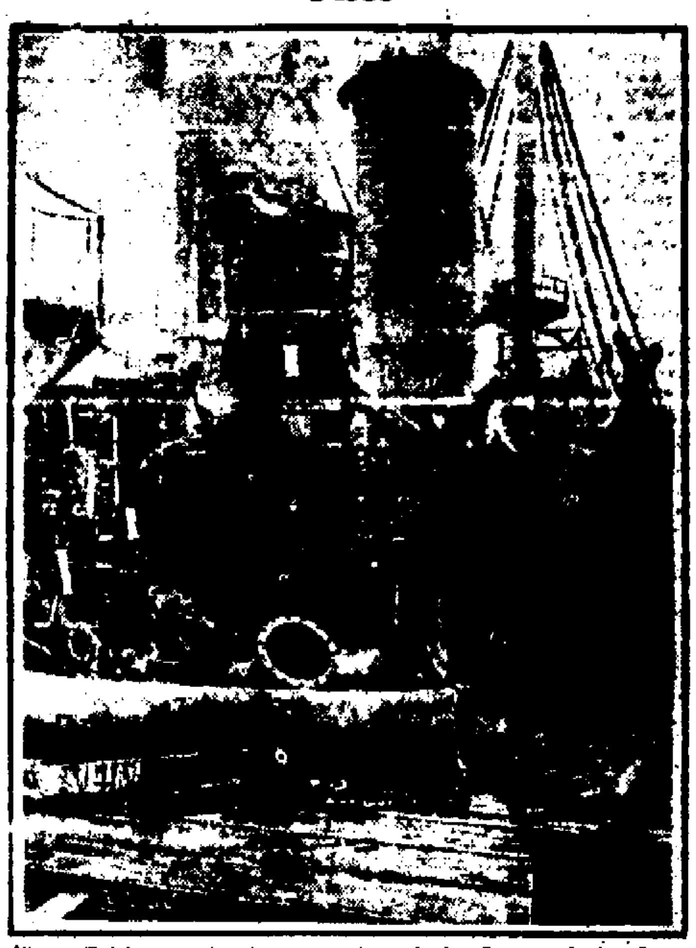

First official view showing scrapping of the flower of the Japanese Navy in compliance with terms of the Washington agreement. It shows the battleship Katori which took Prince Regent Hirohito to Europe on his trip.

O'BANNON WILL INVALID

Decision of Jury in New York Deprives Eugene D. Stocker, former Cooperstown Man, of Legacy.

The New York Herald of Tuesday has the following which will be of interest to many in Otsego county, where one of the chief beneficiaries under the will, Eugene D. Stocker, formerly resided.

"Suit contesting the will of the late John W. O'Bannon, once rated as a millionaire, brought by his half-sister, Mrs. Minnie Weigman of St. Louis, who contested that O'Bannon was mentally incompetent when he executed his will, was upheld by a jury before Surrogate O'Brien yesterday.

"The jurors returned a verdict that O'Bannon was not of sound mind when he executed the will on March 16, 1920. Surrogate O'Brien directed that an order be entered denying probate to the will. About a month prior to the execution of the will O'Bannon was declared of unsound mind by a Sheriff's jury.

"The value of the estate is estimated at $162,000. In his will O'Bannon left 300 shares of stock in the U. S. Hoffman Machinery company to each of his friends, Morgan J. O'Brien, Jr., and Edmond P. O'Brien and to Miss Anna A. Haas of Nutley, N. J., who had been secretary to O'Brannon, and 150 shares to Eugene D. Stocker, now president of the machinery company. The remainder of the estate [illegible] receives the whole of it.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Pursuant to an order of Sheldon H. Close, surrogate of the county of Otsego, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against the estate of Ella Wiscomb Helich, deceased, late of the City of Oneonta, in said county, that they are required to exhibit the same, with vouchers thereof, to the undersigned executors of the estate of the said deceased, at the law office of Hon. W. L. Bolton in the City of Oneonta in said county, on or before the 14th day of August next.

Dated January 28, 1924.

Harry Wiscomb,
Frank Wiscomb,
Executors.

W. L. Bolton,
Attorney for Executors,
Oneonta, N. Y.

Glycerine Mixture Surprises Oneonta

Simple glycerine, buckthorn bark, etc., as mixed in Adlerika relieves any case gas on the stomach in ten minutes. Most medicines act only on lower bowel but Adlerika acts on both upper and lower bowel and brings out all gases and poisons. Brings out matter you never thought was in your system. Excellent for obstinate constipation. Guards against appendicitis. Reinhardt & Shipper, druggists. Advt.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Pursuant to an order of Sheldon H. Close, surrogate of the county of Otsego, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against the estate of Caroline A. Alger, deceased, late of the town of Milford, in said county, that they are required to exhibit the same, with vouchers thereof, to the undersigned executrix of the estate of the said deceased, at the law offices of George L. Gibbs, in the city of Oneonta, in said county, on or before the 1st day of May, next.

Dated, October 26, 1923.

Ella Hemans,
Executrix.

George L. Gibbs,
Attorney for Executrix.

BACORN'S
Forkola
A JELL
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COLDS

TELLS HOW SHE GOT BACK WEIGHT, STRENGTH AND PEP

Woman From Hellertown, Pa., Says Paw Paw Was Just What She Needed

"For the past year I had not felt as strong and full of pep as formerly," says Miss Pearl E. Quinn, 1200 Main St., Hellertown, Pa. "I lost weight, lost my appetite and didn't eat or sleep well. [illegible]

Miss Pearl E. Quinn

good accomplished by Munyon's Paw Paw Tonic. Hundreds of letters praising Paw Paw are pouring in all the time. Is not such personal recommendation convincing? If YOU are run down, weak, nervous, sleepless or have stomach trouble or indigestion, try Munyon's Paw Paw Tonic today. It probably is the very thing you need to put you back in health. Only [illegible] a bottle at all first-class drug stores. "There's a Munyon Pill for Every Ill." Munyon's, Scranton, Pa.

TODAY'S EVENTS BY WIRELESS

Programs Announced From Prominent Broadcasting Stations.

WGY (Schenectady)—380 Meters.
11:55 a. m.—Time signals.
12:30 p. m.—Stock market report.
12:40 p. m.—Produce market report.
12:45 p. m.—Weather report.
2:00 p. m.—Music and talk, "Making Housework a Pleasure."
6:00 p. m.—Market and news bulletins.
6:30 p. m.—Romano's orchestra.
7:45 p. m. Radio drama, comedy, "Spring Cleaning," by WGY players:
Walters .... Maurice Randall
Margaret Sones .... Rose Cohn
Ernest Steel ... Edward E. St. Louis
Fay Collen .... Ruth Brown
Lady Jane Walton ... Helen Campbell
Archie Wells .... Frank Oliver
Bobbie Williams .... John Loftus
Billy Somers ..... Jerome Lorenbein
Connie Gillies ... Margaret V. Smith
Richard Sones ... Edward H. Smith
Mona .... Lola Somers

WEAF (New York) — 492 Meters.
11:00 a. m.—Helen Morris, soprano. Talks. Weather report.
4:00 p. m.—Billy Cripps, tenor; Robert Valten, violinist; Roberta Curry, soprano; W. Glasgon Greene, bass.
7:00 p. m.—Mid-week services. Talk, Ernest Thompson Seton. Financial Prices. Talk. Concert, Hunter college. Emma Burkhardt, soprano; Pasquale Ferrara, tenor.

WJZ (New York)—455 Meters.
2:00 p. m.—Board of Education program. Wanamaker auditorium concert.
4:00 p. m.—Fashion talk. Sam Wooding's orchestra. "That Street Called Broadway," by Rosalie Armistead Higgins. Pt. Jolin Lavborg, baritone.
7:00 p. m.—Jack Rabbit stories.
7:30 p. m.—Dance program. "Problems of Crime," a lecture.
8:30 p. m.—Wanamaker auditorium organ. U. S. army night.

WRC (Washington, D. C.)—469 Meters.
6:00 p. m.—Children's stories by Peggy Albion.
7:30 p. m.—Talk on Public Health, by Dr. Hugh S. Cumming. The Question Box. Piano recital. Violin solo. Talk on Motoring. Song recital.
9:05 p. m.—"The Broader Significance of Pan-Americanism."
10:00 p. m.—Concert by the Lee House trio.

WFI (Philadelphia, Pa.)—395 Meters.
9:15 a. m.—Produce market reports.
1:00 p. m.—Meyer Davis' orchestra.
3:00 p. m.—"A Few Minutes With Mexico," Dr. George M. Hughes. Bertha Maxwell Ralph, reader; Howard Kaybird whistler; Loretta Kerk, pianist.
6:00 p. m.—"Sunny Jim, the Kiddies' Pal."
6:30 p. m.—Meyer Davis' orchestra.
8:00 p. m.—Meeting of Boy Scout Radio corps. Talk, Robert L. Claypool. Music, Collingswood Bugle corps.
9:15 p. m.—Address, Dean Raymond Walters.

KDKA (East Pittsburgh)—326 Meters.
12:10 p. m.—Organ recital, Howard R. Webb.
6:15 p. m.—Dinner concert. KDKA Little Symphony orchestra.
8:00 p. m.—Farm program.
8:30 p. m.—Concert by KDKA Little Symphony orchestra.
11:30 p. m.—Concert.

WBZ (Springfield, Mass.)—337 Meters.
7:00 p. m.—Music talk by Robert Elisha Stanley Olmstead, professor of vocal music at Smith college.
7:30 p. m.—Bedtime story. Mrs. Follis Gould, soprano; C. B. Webster, bass.
8:25 p. m.—Story for grown-ups.

WGI (Medford, Mass.)—360 Meters.
7:00 p. m.—"Bits of Wisdom," by Geo. Brinton Beale. "R. U. R." played by the "3 P's" Society of Tuft's college.

WOC (Davenport, Iowa)—484 Meters.
1:00 p. m.—Chimes concert.
4:30 p. m.—Educational program "Pleurisy."
7:30 p. m.—Sandman's visit.
8:00 p. m.—"The Story of Asbestos."
10:00 p. m.—Orchestra Program.

Can't Pay Taxes.

The collector in the town of Maryland was obliged to return $1,472 as uncollectable. The Monitor says that among this number are several who [illegible] collection to be returned. That is surely a very sad state of affairs.

More Pay on Lackawanna.

Engineers and firemen on the Lackawanna have received an increase in pay of 24, 32 and 36 cents a day according to their rating. It was announced here today. The change was effective March 1.

BORN AT JEFFERSON

Nine-Pound Daughter Arrives at Home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Totten—Shadow Social Nets $35 to Ladies' Aid Society—Miss Cornelia Dunn Resumes Duties as School Teacher.

Jefferson, Mar. 12. — Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Howard Totten, Sunday morning, March 9, a daughter, Rowena Jean, at the Tryon home.

Shadow Social Nets $35.

The shadow social held in the town hall last Friday night, for benefit of the Ladies' Aid society, was a success and about $35 was realized from the sale of shadows, grab bag and pop corn.

School Teacher Returns.

Miss Cornelia Dunn who has been unable to fill her duty here as teacher in the J. H. S. since the holiday vacation, owing to the serious illness of her mother, resumed her work Monday morning. Mrs. T. H. Wedge efficiently filled her place during her absence.

Ladies' Aid Meeting.

Ladies' Aid meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. T. I. Hewlett on Friday afternoon of this week.

Personal Mention.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Fox and son spent Sunday at Stamford. Mrs. Fox remained until Tuesday to attend the funeral of her aunt, Mrs. D. W. Peters. — Mrs. Ernest Franklin was in Johnson City part of last week. Mrs. O. C. Fox acted as substitute teacher Thursday and Friday. — H. R. Hubbel has completed his work at Cobleskill and returned home.—Miss Lois Smart of Bloomville was a week-end guest at her home here.—Mrs. Etta Terpening of Richmondville is spending some time with her daughter, Mrs. Logan Treadwell. — Geo. Pelter recently sold some stock to Fred Champlin. — Dr. S. B. Tryon of Cooperstown spent Saturday night and Sunday at his home here. Everybody was pleased to see him and especially those who are ill. — Mrs. Lucetta Widomen left Monday afternoon to attend the funeral of Mrs. Sarah Bradley at Richmondville.

WHAT "OTSEGO" MEANS

Probably Not "Place of the Rock" But "Where the Clouds Are."

The bulletin of the university of the state of New York, which lately has been printing the supposed meaning of the names of counties, with derivations, has the following in the issue for March 1, concerning Otsego:

"There is some dispute as to the origin of the name. Morgan gives it as 'Otsenga.' It apparently means "Upon the Rock," or "Place of the Rock." The terminal 'ga' refers to a place and 'go' (goh) means 'on' or 'upon.' Rock is 'Otsteha.'"

In a recent interview Willard E. Yager of this city, than whom there is probably not a better authority on Indian derivations and etymology, questions the above statement. The earliest appearance of the name, he says, is on the New Hampshire grant map, made about 1770, and there it appears as "Ostaga," which is probably an abreviation of "Oesaga." The meaning of this is "the place where the clouds are," and doubtless refers to the stormy waters of the lake, a name which anybody who visits Lake Otsego even to this day will appre-[illegible]

Lake Waiontha, which is the Indian name of one of the little lakes above Richfield, means "calm lake," in contrast to its near-by larger neighbor. The name Canadaraga, or Canadarago as it is now frequently written, means "at the lake," which derives its significance from its location on the old Indian trail westward.

Where Is He At?

"De Lawd," solemnly said good old parson Bagster in the midst of a recent Sabbath morning sermon, "loveth a cheerful giver. But I axes you' breddern and sistahs, whur do he find him at?"—[Kansas City Star.

Come to the Tie Co's Cloth shop for Bolivia and striped coating. Prices at $1.97 to $4.00 per yard. Plaid materials in all the popular colors for dresses. We are closing out the remainder of our plaid back overcoats at a 20 per cent reduction. When there look over our remnants. Maxey building. advt 2t

Basketball at the armory Friday night. Hartwick Seminary versus Company G. Preliminary game at 7:30 p. m. High School Second team versus Shoemen. Admission: adults 35 cents; children under 14, 10 cents. advt 1t.

For Sale—Three building lots at a bargain. Can also furnish you the lumber to build with if you have enough cash to pay for the lots. Alfred Sutch Real Estate agency, 151 Main street. Phone 330-W. advt 3t

Order your Easter shirts now. Introducing Madison Better Made shirts. Special offer: Genuine imported English broadcloth at $2.99. Authorized agent, J. D. Nagle. Call 121 Main or phone 377-J advt 6t

Its quality and quality alone that has made Otsego coffee the big seller in these parts. Try it and see what a wonderful cup of coffee it makes. advt 6t

Prindle and Stowe have opened a garage on Gilbert street, near River street, where they are prepared to serve the motoring public in all ways. advt 3t

Why Speculate?

Insure with the Travelers of Hartford. Avoid disappointments. U. A. Ferguson, 21 Pine street. advt 2t t-th

Dr. Wiley, Prof. Allyn of Westfield, and other eminent authorities endorse good butterine. Hygrade Brand butterine is superlatively good. advt 6t

Ida S. Smeet, practical corsetier, at the Windsor, Oneonta, April 2; National hotel, Norwich, April 3. advt 1mo

Use Jumbo Nut Margarine for every purpose for which creamery butter has been used. Its quality will delight you and its economy will add to your satisfaction. advt 6t

Edna Wallace Hopper toilet preparations on sale at City Drug Store. Mail orders will receive prompt attention. advt 3t

Why not specialize as most every one else does in these progressive days? In your cooking for instance, you can do it with the help of Baker's [illegible] advt 4t

SIDNEY VIOLIN MAKERS

Neighboring Village Has Three Contenders for Honors and They All Are Making Good Instruments.

Sidney, Mar. 12. — While this village has no Amati, nor will it produce any renowned Antonio Stradivari, still we can go the old Cremona one better. In the matter of violin makers this place has no less than three contenders for honors.

The first of these is the person of J. Cornell, formerly a farmer and carpenter. It is said the rooms of Mr. Cornell have several favorable and fair looking models of the old Cremonas. While none of these have been sold for fabulous prices, yet, Mr. Cornell has gotten rid of some of his pets at fair prices. Besides, he has the satisfaction of knowing that his efforts were among the first to start Sidney as a contender in the work.

So well and favorable were the outfits of Mr. Cornell taken, that our checker champion, tonsorial artist, and justice saw mighty prowess in the manfacture of these king of instruments. And our friend Alex. Lane is some musician himself, so why not enter the violin making. His first effort was as a student of the older Cornell, as instructor, we understand; but Alex. informs us that from now out he can go it alone, and will. The writer saw the first instrument Lane put out, and we are willing to take a chance at his next instrument for a fair price ourself.

The latest to enter the violin field we hear is our well known optometrist and radio expert, D. H. Darling. In fact Mr. Darling is no novice in this matter, as he has spent some time in trying out his pet theories on violin making, and we understand he has one instrument that he has refused $700 for. However, Mr. Darling doesn't lay claim to the making of this particular instrument; but as a matter of a pattern he may be said to have "a little something" on all the others. Besides, we who know Mr. Darling and his mechanical ideas know that he is competent to put something more than average into anything he may try out. Anyway heres' hoping that the whole three geniuses of our little Cremona may get going in the game, and let us see what Sidney can produce.

ST JOHNSVILLE SETTLES.

Village That Soaks Motorists Made to Pay $650.

The result of an exciting auto smash at Bridge and Main streets, St. Johnsville, last summer is just made public, when it appears that the man originally arrested has received a village check for $650 in payment for a claim for damages for illegal arrest and search.

There were three cars in the midsummer mixup and Charles Sesonski of Gloversville was adjudged by Traffic Officer Carden as guilty of reckless driving and was so arrested and charged. Later the village officials suspecting something stronger than gasoline in the closed car the defendant was driving, caused a search warrant to be issued and the car searched. They found nothing. The case was adjourned.

The defendant then learned that the village authorities had no right to search his car on an order unless signed by a judge of a court of record. Sesonski brought a counterclaim for damages, and when he appeared to answer Officer Carden's charge of reckless driving, it was discovered that the charge had been withdrawn. Carden had resigned about that time and apparently decided to leave a clean slate and so withdrew the charge. But Sesonski pressed his claim and it is now disclosed that the village officials have reached a settlement by paying the Gloversville man $650.—[Fort Plain Standard.

Vote to Stay on Strike.

(By the Associated Press)

Boston, Mar. 12. — The members of the six crafts of railroad shop mechanics of the Boston & Maine R. R., who went on strike July 1, 1922, have voted in a referendum against calling off the strike, it is announced by the unions. More than 4,000 ballots were cast.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK—By the Grace of God Free and Independent.—To Phoebe Ford, Adelle Freer, Susie Curtis, William Redlent, Samuel Dixson, Lewis E. Dixson, Blanche Harris, Anna Robinson, Lena Royce, Ralph Kinne, Bethana Hurlburt, Lydia Medbury, Olive Jennings, Jessie M. Haynes, Ida Chase, John H. Ferrer, Laura Gould, Lillian Law and the surviving husband, heirs at law, next of kin, legatees, devisees and personal representatives, if any, of Elizabeth Kinne, whose married name is unknown, a deceased daughter of Samuel Kinne, a deceased nephew of Hannah Smith, none of whose names, parts of names, places of residence or post office addresses are known and cannot with due diligence and after diligent inquiry for that purpose be ascertained, and the surviving widow, heirs at law, next of kin, legatees, devisees and personal representatives, if any, of Samuel Haynes, a deceased brother of said Hannah Smith, none of whose names, parts of names, places of residence or post office addresses are known and cannot with due diligence and after diligent inquiry for that purpose be ascertained, and all other heirs at law and next of kin, if any, of Hannah Smith, late of the town of Morris, New York, deceased.

Upon the petition of Arthur W. Morse of New Berlin, New York, proponent, you are hereby cited to show cause before the surrogate's court of Otsego county, at the surrogate's chambers in the city of Oneonta, in said county, on the 15th day of April, 1924, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, why a decree should not be granted admitting to probate a certain instrument in writing as the last will and testament of Hannah Smith, late of the town of Morris, said county, deceased, as a valid will of real and personal property; and also to show cause why Letters Testamentary should not issue thereon.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused the seal of our said surrogate's court to be hereunto affixed.

WITNESS HON. SHELDON H. CLOSE, surrogate of the county of Otsego, at the surrogate's office in Cooperstown, N. Y., this 11th day of March, 1924.

(L. S.) SHELDON H. CLOSE, Surrogate.

ARTHUR W. MORSE,
Attorney in Person,
Office and P. O. address,
New Berlin, N. Y.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Pursuant to an order of Sheldon H. Close, surrogate of the county of Otsego, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against the estate of Delos Hodge, deceased, late of the town of Oneonta, in said county, that they are required to exhibit the same, with vouchers thereof, to the undersigned executor of the estate of the said deceased, at the law offices of Dennis J. Kilkenny, Esq., in the city of Oneonta, in said county, on or before the 15th day of September, next.

Dated March 4, 1924.

DENNIS J. KILKENNY,
Executor

In India

The Catholic Church now has a diocese in India. Rt. Rev. Francis Tiburtius Roche (above) has been named Bishop of Tuticorin, India.

AGRIGRAPHS

My faith is all a doubtful thing,
Wove on a doubtful loom—
Until there comes, each showery spring,
A cherry tree in bloom;
And Christ who died upon a tree
That death had stricken bare,
Comes beautifully back to me,
In blossoms, everywhere.
—David Morton.

The early garden depends largely on the early hotbed or cold-frame.

One way of "beautifying the home grounds," is a good vigorous spring clean-up of the backyard.

Get the spray outfit ready and pay particular attention to having the valves work properly.

Uncle Ab says he's found that some men get ahead by not doing things they don't want to do; then they can center on the jobs they like, which are always better done.

Raising good calves properly is one way to build up a good dairy. A brand new bulletin on this subject has been issued by the state college at Ithaca. Ask for E-73.

Free Tractor School

For Owners of McCormick-Deering or Other Makes of Tractors, and also for Others Interested in Power Farming. Given by

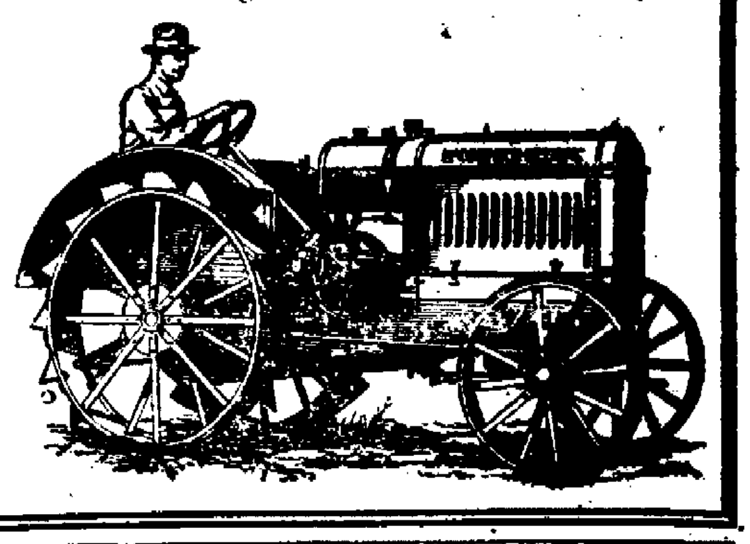
A. H. Murdock Implement Co.

At Oneonta, March 14th

AT 10 O'CLOCK

There will be nothing to sell and no sales talk.

Tractor Owners and Others Interested in Power Farming Are Invited to Attend.



STOP! LOOK! WATCH!

The Boy Wonder!

He is coming to the River Street Baptist church on March 30th for two weeks. Watch the paper for further notice.

"Even better than my former Essex"

And Costs $170 Less

Advantages of both Hudson and the former Essex are combined in the new Essex Coach.

And with finer body and a 6-cylinder motor, built on Hudson patents, its cost is $170 less than Essex closed car comforts ever sold for.

It continues the famous Essex qualities of performance, economy and reliability.

Steering is like guiding a bicycle. Gears shift easily. Care of the car calls for little more than keeping it lubricated.

Its economy includes not only exceptional gas, oil and tire mileage, but a policy of minimum maintenance cost with parts prices that will astonish you.

ESSEX COACH $975

Touring Model $850—Freight and tax extra

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55-57 MARKET ST. ONEONTA, N. Y.